

## ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH

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KEFAUVER MAKES  
FORMAL ENTRY  
INTO RACE FOR  
THE PRESIDENCY

**Pledges Vigorous Campaign—Says He Has Assurance of 'Fair Shake' at Democratic Convention.**

By EDWARD F. WOODS  
A Washington Correspondent  
of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16—Senator Estes Kefauver of Tennessee formally announced today that he is candidate for the Democratic nomination for President. He served notice that he would conduct a vigorous campaign and predicted that, if nominated, he would defeat President Eisenhower, should he seek re-election.

(The United Press reported Kefauver said later he would enter the New Hampshire and California primaries, but had not made up his mind about others.)

Kefauver said also that he had within recent months consulted with several leaders of the Democratic party, including former President Truman, and had received assurance that they would place "no hurdles" in his path.

From those who will be in charge of convention machinery as to how he receives assurances of a "fair shake," he continued. Hence, he said, if he goes into the convention with the same delegate strength he had at the opening of the 1952 convocation he does not believe he can be beaten for the nomination by Adlai Stevenson or any other contender.

**Announcement No Surprise.**  
Kefauver made his announcement at a press conference in the Willard Hotel. The announcement, itself, came as no surprise. After reading his formal statement to about 200 reporters and before batteries of eight newsreels and still cameras, he submitted to a barrage of questions which eventually led him into the area of speculation as to his chances.

He appeared to be quite confident that he is in a favorable position, and freely answered queries as to his views ranging from the Tennessee political situation to arms for Israel.

Discussing President Eisenhower and his chances against him Kefauver paid tribute to the President as "an outstanding world citizen whose services are needed," not for President, of course.

"My hope is that he will get well so that if he wants to run again, he can," Kefauver said. He said, however, that "the Republican party is too much for him to pull along" and that "Democratic strength among the people will offset Eisenhower's influence and enormous charm."

**Comment on Truman.**  
Kefauver's statements about Truman lent support to the former President's declaration of neutrality in the pre-convention jousting among the contenders. Asked if he had requested Truman to "stay out" of the pre-convention fights, Kefauver replied:

"I have talked with him on two occasions in recent weeks, once at his office in Kansas City and the other time at the Democratic National Committee rally in Chicago. We are on friendly terms. I am assured that he won't put any hurdles in my way."

Asked if Truman put "hurdles" in his way in 1952, Kefauver replied Truman himself had stated recently Stevenson would not have been nominated without his support.

"I have reason to believe that President Truman was very influential at that convention," Kefauver said with a smile.

Reporters joined in laughter.

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## Senator Telling of Plans



SENATOR ESTES KEFAUVER waving to a crowd as he announced at press conference today he is a candidate for the Democratic presidential nomination.

LOST MEN, LOST  
RESCUERS FINALLY  
GET OUT OF SWAMP

SUFFOLK, Va., Dec. 16 (UP)—

Eleven "lost" Marines and seven volunteers walked out of a dismal swamp at dawn today to wind up a wearisome search that all started when two squirrel hunters got lost four days ago.

A search party went in and found the hunters, after 72 hours. But two Marines in that group got lost, and a large group of other Marines and civilians went out to look for them.

One thing led to another and before it was over, 22 men were either lost or could not get out of the swamp. The two hunters were rescued yesterday after three sub-freezing nights without food. The two Marines also were rescued yesterday.

That left 11 Marines and seven civilian volunteers still "in there."

A helicopter that brought out the two hunters, W. E. Haywood, 66 years old, and his son, Alton, 18, flew back and in the fast-fading twilight located the missing search party hacking its way through the vines and muck. At dawn today they walked out.

GOOD SEATS GONE,  
THEATER PUTS  
QUEEN IN BALCONY

LONDON, Dec. 16 (AP)—

"This is Buckingham Palace," said the voice on the telephone. "Her majesty would like eight seats for tonight."

The theater manager looked at his watch and gulped. "It's a fully late," he said, "but we'll see what we can do."

The best that could be done was eight seats in the first balcony at 10 shillings, 6 pence (\$1.47) each. Members of the royal family usually sit in a box or in choice orchestra seats.

Three minutes before curtain time last night, Queen Elizabeth II and her husband, the Duke of Edinburgh, arrived. With them were Earl and Countess Mountbatten, the Duke's uncle and aunt; the Mountbattens' son-in-law and daughter, Lord and Lady Brabourne, and two members of the palace entourage.

They divided into two groups of four in seats at the side of the first balcony to see "The Reluctant Debutante," one of London's biggest hits. Members of the cast were presented to the royal party in the intermission.

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COUNTY VOTING  
MACHINE ORDER  
BEING HELD UP

St. Louis County Supervisor

Luman F. Matthews today ordered that no action be taken on a requisition by the Board of Election Commissioners for the purchase of 375 additional voting machines, pending an opinion by the County Counselor on whether bids must be taken.

The additional machines were authorized by the voters Nov. 22 when they approved a \$675,000 item in the \$39,712,000 bond issue for such a purpose.

Chairman John J. Cole of the election board, in a letter to Matthews, expressed the belief it was unnecessary to ask for bids since only one company makes the "vertical type front reading counter voting machine" desired by the board.

This is the Shoup Voting Machine Co. which supplied the county with 400 of the machines earlier this year.

**Points to Ordinance.**  
Matthews agreed that the election board, following a decision by the State Supreme Court a year ago, had the right to determine the type of voting machines it wanted. However, he expressed the belief that bids should be sought, in compliance with the county purchasing ordinance which requires the taking of formal bids on all purchases of \$2000 or more. He then asked County Counselor Herbert C. Funke for an opinion.

Cole's letter said the election board was requisitioning 375 machines at a delivered price of \$1888 each. Cole said he understood the price might advance but that 375 more machines would cost only \$633,315 at this price. Cole said the difference between that sum and the \$675,000 was \$42,315.

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NATO MINISTERS  
AGREE ON CLOSER  
POLITICAL TIES  
TO COUNTER REDS

**Decide to Build Communications and Radar Net Across Europe, Set Up Tactical Air Force.**

PARIS, Dec. 16 (UP)—The

West agreed today at a meeting of the 15 NATO foreign ministers to strengthen the political ties of the North Atlantic alliance for a counter-offensive against the Soviet Union's new cold war moves.

The allies of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization already had agreed to tighten their military defenses against the Soviets. Today the foreign ministers decided in a secret three-hour meeting to bolster their political action.

The council decided unanimously that none of its members will have any relations with Communist East Germany.

They also agreed to step up NATO propaganda to counter the steady barrage poured out by the Moscow radio and Soviet spokesmen at home and abroad.

The ministers studied proposals giving the Atlantic alliance a full-dress political council or delegating political powers to the present permanent NATO ambassadors to tighten their alliance.

A slap in the face for one NATO country will be a slap in the face for all of us," one minister said as he emerged from conference room three of NATO's Palais de Chaillot headquarters.

**Defensive Measures.**  
Conferees said the ministers made such progress at this second day of the three-day session that they might be able to wind up the conference with a communiqué tonight.

On the basis of military recommendations, the council yesterday approved a new centralized air defense, a special military communication system and a radar warning system to protect Europe from eastern Turkey to northern Norway against an air attack.

SHAPE will operate the radar screen and the communications network. The latter will be completely military. SHAPE will no longer be dependent on civilian communications systems for information from the outer ring of NATO radar warning installations.

The radar screen itself, Gen. Alfred M. Gruenther told reporters, will be a NATO joint enterprise. He said he was unable to estimate the cost. The sources say the network is expected to cost about \$45,000,000.

On behalf of the United States, Defense Secretary Charles E. Wilson offered to finance construction of three "pilot" links in this system.

A second American invention, the "scatter" system for radio-telephony, will be used. This method makes vocal communication "jamming proof" by bouncing radio waves off the troposphere or the ionosphere.

In the first case, there is a radio transmission up to 250 miles and in the other case up to 1300 miles.

**New Tactical Air Force.**  
In another move to beef up the West's military power in Europe, the NATO powers agreed the new tactical air force with American units based behind the Alps in northern Italy.

The new move will widen the spread of Allied air bases now clustered in mid-Europe. It will strengthen the continent's air shield against Soviet aggression with United States aircraft and pilots to serve clear notice that no American withdrawal is planned.

A NATO spokesman said the new defensive air fleet will be known as the Fifth Allied Tactical Air Force. He said new United States air units would fly in to join it on the northern Italian bases.

Today's foreign ministers' meeting, which excluded most of their aides, was called specifically to plan strategy that could win in the "new cold war front" in the Middle East and southeast Asia.

Secretary of State John Foster Dulles gave that name yesterday to the new Russian-backed arms race in the Middle East and the new Russian propaganda offensive in India and Burma and now in Afghanistan.

Dulles gave no advance information on United States strategy to be outlined at the morning session, but Western sources said the new western strategy must not close the door on an eventual settlement with Russia—when and if Russia relaxes its new diplomatic war.

The discussion centered on Article II of the NATO treaty—closer economic, political and cultural ties. An influential Paris newspaper, Le Monde, commented that each year the Atlantic Council mentions it "without ever deciding the least concrete measure to put it into effect."

Western quarters said it was high time to put the article into action, first by aligning the foreign policies of the NATO countries more closely and then set.

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JUDGE REDUCES  
SENTENCES OF  
4 CONVICTED OF  
LABOR RACKETEERING

**Poster, Thompson, Bianchi Terms Concurrent With Previous 10-Year Penalties — 10 Years for Secor.**

Sentences imposed on four

AFL leaders for labor racketeering were materially reduced today by United States District Judge Ruben M. Hulien.

The 12-year sentences of William Poster, Richard M. Secor and L. A. Thompson were reduced to 10 years by Judge Hulien. He also ruled that the sentences should run concurrently with previous 10-year terms imposed on Poster and Thompson instead of consecutively, as originally ordered.

Judge Hulien said a 10-year sentence imposed on Carl (Dutch) Bianchi, another labor leader, should run concurrently with his 10-year term, but another 10-year term. Thus Bianchi would serve 10 years instead of 20.

**No Explanation Given.**  
The judge gave no explanation for reducing the sentences, merely ruling on motions filed by the defendants asking their terms be made less severe.

Secor, Poster, Thompson and Bianchi were convicted last year of conspiring to violate the Federal anti-racketeering law by extorting \$25,000 from the O. R. Burden Construction Co. of Oklahoma.

Secor, Poster and Thompson were each sentenced originally to 12 years in prison and Bianchi to 10 years for that offense. Lawrence Callanan, boss of the AFL Steamfitters Union who was convicted with them and sentenced to 12 years in prison has not asked for reduction of his term.

**Earlier Conviction.**  
Earlier last year Bianchi, Poster and Thompson were convicted of labor racketeering by extorting \$15,312 from Trojan Construction Co. of Oklahoma City. They each were sentenced to 10 years in prison.

Until today's ruling by Judge Hulien, these 10-year sentences were to be served before the sentences imposed in the Burden case started.

Bianchi was outstate representative of the AFL Hoisting Engineers, Poster, Secor and Thompson were business agents of building laborers' unions.

The United States Supreme Court denied Dec. 12 a petition for a rehearing filed by Callanan, Bianchi, Poster, Secor and Thompson on their appeal for sentences imposed in the Burden case.

All are serving their sentences.

JAP FISHERMEN  
GET GIFT: \$10,000  
DOLPHIN SCHOOL

ARARI, Japan, Dec. 16 (AP)—

This fishing hamlet south of Tokyo was reaping an unexpected Christmas harvest today—a school of 2000 dolphins.

Each dolphin is about 5 feet long and weighs about 55 pounds. The \$10,000 bonanza is real riches to 2600 fisher folk who normally wrest a meager living from the sea.

A lookout spotted the school Tuesday and aroused the villagers. Every able-bodied man, woman and child took to the boats. They formed a ring around the mammals and, beating on tin cans, drove them into tiny Arari bay. Then they sealed the entrance with their tiny boats.

A 199 dolphin flopped onto the white sandy beach; villagers rushed there to market. The village headman ordered the others left to swim in the natural aquarium.

"We'll ruin the price if we take them out all at once," he cautioned.

At the mouth of the bay, an 18-year-old girl hummed "Jingle Bells," clanged an accompaniment on her tin can and observed: "It's a wonderful Christmas gift for our village."

WESTINGHOUSE OFFERS  
\$100 LOANS TO STRIKERS

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Dec. 16

(UP)—Westinghouse Electric Corp. today offered each of its 55,000 striking employees an advance of \$100 for Christmas.

Westinghouse President G. W. G. Price said non-striking workers furloughed as a result of the 61-day-old walkout also could apply for the same loan to be repaid without interest "in modest installments" when the strike is over.

"Our employees have suffered enough hardship from the strike called by the IUE and the UE without having to face a completely cheerless Christmas," Price said.

The International Union of Electrical Workers, an AFL-CIO affiliate, has had 44,000 members on strike at 30 Westinghouse plants since last Oct. 17. The Independent United Electrical Workers called its 11,000 members at 10 other plants out on strike a week later.

ALDERMANIC COMMITTEE  
WOULD TAKE THOUSANDS  
OUT OF CIVIL SERVICE

**Aldermen Are Highly Critical Of Way Traffic Division Is Run**

**Committee Reports That Board Is Not Getting Expert Advice It Needs.**



By a Post-Dispatch Photographer.  
CHARLES G. GONTER

The traffic committee of the Board of Aldermen today submitted to the board a report highly critical of the administration of the traffic division.

The intent and purposes of the general traffic control ordinance, under which certain limited powers are conferred on Traffic Commissioner Charles G. Gonter, have not been fulfilled, the report said.

The Board of Aldermen and citizens have not received the kind of expert professional advice and services urgently needed both by the board and in the general conduct of traffic control, the committee said.

Prepared with such secrecy that the board's own employees were replaced by outside stenographic help, the report said the committee was in agreement that "the office of traffic commissioner in the City of St. Louis has not been and is not now competently administered or staffed."

It recommended that Director of Streets and Sewers Frank Kriz, under whose jurisdiction the traffic division operates, and Director of Person-

nel R. Elliott Searce make a complete analysis of the qualifications of persons presently employed in the traffic division and that immediate steps be taken to strengthen the office in the interest of more efficient service.

The committee also recommended that Kriz investigate immediately the cost and training involved in having a competent engineering firm make a thorough study of traffic and traffic control needs here. The survey should be completed by Jan. 1, 1956.

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MAN ACCUSED  
OF INTIMIDATION  
OF WITNESS

He Admits Phone Call on Identification of Kenneth Berresheim in Holdup.

Paul P. Presley, partner in a cigarette vending machine concern, admitted to St. Louis detectives today that he telephoned a tavern operator and asked if he knew a "fellow" he could identify Kenneth Berresheim as the man who robbed him of \$10,000 last Nov. 10.

Presley, who gave an address in the 10000 block of Baptist Church drive, Affton, was booked on a charge of intimidation and attempting to corrupt a state witness. The tavern operator is Clay Martin, whose establishment is at 5324 Natural Bridge avenue.

Information given to police quoted Martin as saying he understood Presley had remarked that the tavern operator would be given some consideration if he was "uncertain" about the identification of Berresheim, who was indicted Wednesday by the circuit court grand jury on an armed robbery charge.

Presley denied to police that he had asked Martin to be uncertain about Berresheim's identity. He told detectives he had made the call to Martin earlier this week, at the request of a man known to him only as "Bob." This man, from the East Side, had made the request by phone, Presley said.

Martin was held up on the street near his tavern by two men. One man escaped, but Berresheim was arrested by police after a chase. The money was recovered.

## 99 Indian Leftists Arrested.

BOMBAY, India, Dec. 16 (AP)—

Police yesterday arrested 99 leftists who defied the ban on the assembly of more than four persons and demonstrated against the Indian government's decision to create a separate Bombay city-state among the Marathi-speaking people.

The clock is six feet high, nine feet wide and two feet deep. Powered by weights, it cost 750,000 kroner (\$107,000) to build. The funds were supplied by Danish organizations and private donors.

Spreckels Heir Loses \$2,000,000,  
4 Wives and Name in 25 Years

SEATTLE, Dec. 16 (AP)—

John D. Spreckels III, who lost through \$2,000,000, four wives and his name in 25 years. Today he is John D. Smith, cabinet salesman.

No 3rd. No money. No wives. Just John D. Smith, in 1930 at the age of 20. A lot of the money went to the wives by way of divorce courts.

Testimony in one of the divorces 10 years ago said he had gone through \$100,000 in a three-month betting spree. Three years ago his fourth wife divorced him when he was a hotel night clerk. Wife No. 4 waived alimony, got \$100 a month for support of their infant son.

Since then, John Dolf Spreckels III behind.

BILL TO ELECT  
FREEHOLDERS IS  
OFFERED MINUS  
INDORSEMENT

**Some Revision Needed in Charter, Group Says, but Not Enough to Warrant Rewriting.**

Enactment of an amendment to the city charter which would remove several thousand city employees from civil service was recommended to the Board of Aldermen today by its Legislation Committee.

At the same time, the committee reported to the board, without recommendation, Mayor Raymond R. Tucker's bill calling for election of a board of freeholders next March 6, to study charter modernization and to draft an entirely new charter, if deemed necessary.

This was the first time a charter freeholder bill sponsored by the Mayor has reached the floor of the Board of Aldermen for consideration.

**Action Delayed.**  
Action on the Mayor's bill was delayed until at least Jan. 13, when the board will return to work after its holiday recess.

The proposed charter amendment which would remove many of the 8500 city employees now under the merit system from the civil service system, was one of a series of amendments that the committee recommended.

Most of these amendments were non-controversial and if approved by the board, would be submitted to voters of the city for adoption.

**Legal Staff Exemption.**  
Among those who would be exempted from the merit system are a secretary of the director of each city department, and all members of the City Counselor's legal staff.

In addition, the proposed amendment would remove thousands of city park, hospital, maintenance and custodial workers from the merit system, and, if finally adopted, would make these jobs subject again to political patronage.

**Classifications Proposed.**  
The following job classifications would be removed from the merit system under the committee's recommendation:

Elevator operator, laundry worker, watchman, park attendant, laborer, auditorium attendant, hospital attendant, seamstress, linen room attendant, custodial worker, masseur, utility man, laundry washman and window washer.

It was not immediately learned how many city employees would be affected by the amendment, but it was estimated that the list would cover at least 2000 of the 8500 municipal workers now protected by the merit system.

"Some revision of the charter is definitely needed," the legislative committee reported, but it contended that the changes needed are not so extensive as to warrant complete rewriting of the city's organic law.

"We acknowledge that the changes which are needed are at least too numerous to submit in one package that would be clear and understandable to the voters," the report continued.

Arguing that the present charter has been clarified, the committee asserted, "it should not be discarded for an entirely new document which must be similarly clarified over the years unless a clear-cut necessity for this course of action exists. In the opinion of the committee, such necessity does not exist."

**Changes Have Better Chance.**  
"In the committee's opinion, a few charter amendments have a greater chance of passage than a completely new charter."

"In the event the board determines that the amendment is preferable to the method of completely rewriting the charter, it is our opinion that changes and additions to those submitted here will be required to complete the necessary job of revision."

"The committee believes that the most urgent matter for change is in the area of the organization of the administrative departments of the city, including the salary limitations applicable to the Mayor and his administrative officers."

After Mayor Tucker's bill calling for election of charter freeholders was reported to the board today by Chairman Anton Niemeyer of the legislation committee, an unsuccessful attempt to call up the measure failed.

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## Snow Likely

Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Partly cloudy to cloudy and warmer tonight and tomorrow with likelihood of occasional rain or snow tomorrow and tomorrow night; low temperature tomorrow morning about 25; high in afternoon near 40.

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6 p.m. 35  
7 p.m. 37  
8 p.m. 39  
9 p.m. 41  
10 p.m. 43  
11 p.m. 45  
Normal maximum this month is 43; normal minimum 29.

Yesterday's high 24 at 12:01 a.m.; low 13 at 8:45 a.m.

Rainfall this year 32.96 inches; normal 36.69 inches.

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Sunset, 4:41 p.m.; sunrise (tomorrow), 7:13 a.m.

Stage of the Mississippi at St. Louis, —2.9 feet, a fall of 0.1; the Missouri at St. Charles, 6.6 feet, a rise of 0.8.



## NEW MEMBERS FAIL TO BREAK U.N. STALEMATE ON COUNCIL SEAT

5 More Ballots Taken to No Avail—Philippines Fail by 9 Votes of Getting Two-Thirds Majority.

By ALVIN H. GOLDSTEIN  
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y., Dec. 16—Yugoslavia and the Philippines remained deadlocked after another round of balloting today in the General Assembly to fill a seat in the United Nations Security Council for a two-year term.

The addition of 15 new U.N. members, all eligible to vote, did nothing to change the stalemate in the long stalemate.

Voting was suspended until this afternoon after the fifth ballot this morning, in which the Philippines received 37 votes and Yugoslavia 31, to permit the Assembly to dispose of other items on its agenda in an effort to wind up the tenth annual session today. On the fifth ballot, the thirty-fourth of the election, with 70 nations voting and two abstentions, 46 votes were needed for the required two-thirds majority.

The Philippines reached the peak of its strength with 40 votes on the morning's third ballot. Yugoslavia received 30, two short of its record of 32 on the fourth ballot when the Philippines led with 37 votes.

On the second ballot, it was the Philippines 36, Yugoslavia 30, Sweden two and Greece one. The first round gave 35 to the Philippines, Yugoslavia 28, Sweden two and Uruguay one.

Assembly President Jose Maza, of Chile, requested delegates of the Philippines and Yugoslavia to meet with him privately during the noon recess, lending substance to a report that efforts were being made to get the rival candidates to withdraw and agree on a compromise candidate.

A United States spokesman, however, declared the American delegation was not "thinking in terms of compromise" on the election and insisted it would continue supporting the Philippines until its delegation decided to leave the contest. Britain and Russia have backed Yugoslavia.

Before balloting started today, each of the sponsors had thought they would draw sufficient strength from new members admitted this week to swing the election to their candidate. Not all of the new members were present at the morning session.

Because the stalemate appeared unbroken despite the introduction of the new members, consultations among delegations were being held in an effort to agree on a compromise candidate if it continued. Sponsors of Yugoslavia contended the seat rightfully belonged to an eastern European nation or at least a European state. The United States held Asia was under-represented.

Among the alternates considered, if both the Philippines and Yugoslavia withdrew, were Sweden and Greece, and, as a last resort, selection of a new member with the favored candidate Italy. Finland also was mentioned as a possibility if a "freeman" was selected.

The Security Council, as now constituted, is composed of the five permanent members, the United States, Russia, Britain, France and China, and six non-permanent members, Belgium, Brazil, Iran, Peru, New Zealand and Turkey. Cuba and Australia were elected on the first ballot to replace Brazil and New Zealand, whose terms expire Jan. 1 along with that of Turkey.

With the election of a Council member to replace Turkey, the Assembly will have acted on its entire agenda after passing on the resolution of the Political Committee directing the Disarmament Commission to give priority in arms reduction negotiations to the combined Eisenhower-Bulgarian plan for air-land-sea inspection.

The newly admitted member nations got down to business yesterday. When the Assembly acted on a trusteeship question, two of the new Communist members, Hungary and Romania, voted with the Soviet bloc, as expected. Delegates of five new members—Albania, Bulgaria, Nepal, Cambodia and Laos—had not yet arrived.

U.S. Considering Travel Curbs on Bulgaria, Albania.  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 16 (UP)—The State Department said last night it is considering whether to clamp travel restrictions on new Bulgarian and Albanian representatives to the United Nations.

The United States does not have diplomatic relations with either of the two Communist-controlled countries which were admitted to the U.N. under a 16-nation package deal.

A department spokesman said the case of Albania and Bulgaria was somewhat different from that of most other Russian satellites. The United States has clamped travel restrictions on the representatives of some of the satellite nations but only after those countries restricted the movement of American officials within their borders.

Since the United States has no diplomatic relations with Albania and Bulgaria, there are no United States officials in those countries and hence, no restrictions. Restrictions affecting the other satellites vary from country to country on a reciprocity basis.

## Turncoat Reunited With Mother



RICHARD TENNESON, Korean war turncoat, at press conference in Minneapolis today. With him is his mother, MRS. PORTIA HOWE, of Alden, Minn.

## Turncoat Tenneson Welcomed By Mother on His Return Home

Dodges Most Questions by Press — G.I. Who Remained in China Promises to Attend Minnesota Church.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Dec. 16 (UP)—Richard Tenneson, Korean war turncoat, returned to his home and mother today after turning his back first on his own country and then on Communist China.

Mrs. Portia Howe of Alden, Minn., rushed up the ramp to Tenneson's plane with tears in her eyes and embraced him. He had once spurned her after she crossed the Pacific to try to win him from the Reds.

Tenneson parried most questions by newspaper men and Mrs. Howe pleaded: "How can he be expected to evaluate? He just got home."

He assured his mother that he will go to church Sunday despite statements in Hong Kong earlier this week that he no longer is religious and does not believe in the power of prayer.

Asked if he will pray to God Sunday, he replied: "I'll be in church and that's what you go to church for."

Uncertain Feeling.  
Tenneson said, however, he will "wait until I've been around here for awhile" before deciding whether he still believes in God. He said that right now he feels uncertain.

Mrs. Howe was crying softly but her 22-year-old son smiled broadly when they met and kissed. Tenneson gave a big hug to his 12-year-old twin half-brother and sister.

Mrs. Howe said she planned a turkey dinner for her son and her 22-year-old son and daughter about 100 miles south of here.

Tenneson's stepfather, Eben Howe, a 18-year-old Nathan Howe, a half-brother, arrived at the airport late. They had driven from Alden this morning, while Mrs. Howe and the twins had come here last night.

Tenneson said at Seattle last night "I have come home as an American and not as a Communist. I have no use for Communism."

Tenneson would not specify reasons as to why he decided to return home.

"I prefer not to talk about this now," he said. "I have my own reasons and I want to look around at home and think it over a long time before I say."

"I'm very anxious to get home to Minnesota and be a farmer again like I was before I went into the Army."

He said he did not expect punishment for what he did because "I think I am protected by the terms of the armistice."

No Army Charges.  
(In Washington the Army said it does not plan to take

any action against Tenneson. If any charges are placed against him, experts said, it will be by the Department of Justice in a civilian court—not by the military.)

Ducks Gern Query.  
Tenneson also ducked questions on previous assertions by him that he was convinced United Nations forces in Korea had used germ warfare on North Koreans and Chinese Reds.

"Now that I'm home I'll have to think that over again," he said. "But while I was there the evidence I was shown certainly indicated germ warfare was used."

He said the evidence shown included alleged germ bombs. Tenneson said the fact that United States courts had freed from military prosecution turncoats William A. Cowart, Dalton, Ga., Otto G. Bell, Hillsboro, Miss., and Lewis W. Griggs, Jacksonville, Tex., was not a factor in his return.

Tenneson accused them of being "dishonest in the statements they made when they returned."

Bell has stated he does not want to have anything to do with Tenneson, because of what he read about his statements on leaving China.

Tenneson said he believed the other 16 turncoats still in China probably will come home eventually.

"They asked me to try to get around to see their families and that is one thing I hope to do," he said.

## THINKS AMERICA WILL OVERTAKE ASIAN POPULATION

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 16 (AP)—The population of the combined North and Latin American countries in time will dwarf the manpower base of Asiatic countries, says Luis Quintanilla, ambassador of Mexico to the Organization of American States.

He forecasts that by the end of the century there will be a population of 250,000,000 in the North American countries and 500,000,000 in the Latin American nations.

"Asia cannot boast of its huge populations then," Quintanilla said yesterday in an interview. "I figure on the percentage of the present rate of growth, Asia has reached stagnation in population increases. We have room, plenty of room, to expand."

The Organization of American States is composed of 21 accredited ambassadors. "Our business is to solve problems and controversies," said Quintanilla, "and to solve them peacefully on the basis of live and let live."

"We're proud that the OAS is far older than the League of Nations. Its predecessor, of course, is the Pan-American Union, started in 1890."

## 21 AFRICAN WORKERS DIE IN SAND QUARRY CAVE-IN

NAIROBI, Kenya, Dec. 16 (UP)—More than 21 African workers were buried yesterday in a sand quarry cave-in.

Police and rescue workers dug 21 bodies from the sand, and were looking for more.

## SYRIA ASKS U.N. TO EXPEL ISRAEL, APPLY SANCTIONS

Time for Action, Delegate Says — Warns That Further Attacks Mean War.

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y., Dec. 16 (AP)—Syria today called on the U.N. to apply "economic sanctions" against Israel and further suggested that Israel be expelled from the world organization.

Ahmed Shukairy, chairman of the Syrian delegation, also said in a prepared speech before the 11-nation Security Council that a warning from Egypt against further Israeli attacks makes the issue one of "war or no war."

After suggesting the expulsion of Israel, he said: "We respectfully urge the Security Council to decide economic sanctions provided for in the charter. This becomes more imperative since Israel is receiving loans, financial assistance, and grants-in-aid from national and international sources."

Wants 'Effective Action.'  
The U.N. charter gives the Council authority to impose economic penalties against nations which threaten or break the peace.

Shukairy said the time had come for the Council to take "effective action."

He noted that Egyptian Premier Gamal Abdel Nasser stated in a letter to the U.N. last night that the council had not prevented the recurrence of Israeli attacks on Arab states.

'Issue Crystal Clear.'  
"The Egyptian government has declared itself bound to deal with the situation itself including the use of her armed forces to maintain peace and safety in the area," he said. "The issue, therefore, is crystal clear. It is war or no war."

Shukairy told the 11-nation Council it had the authority to throw Israel out of the U.N.

The Syrian complaint charged Israel with aggression in a raid east of the Sea of Galilee Sunday night. It said the raid resulted in capture of four Syrian observation posts and the deaths of 49 Syrians.

Expulsion Provision.  
Shukairy said Israel had not heeded the council's condemnation in previous instances. He noted that the U.N. charter called for expulsion of any member persistently violating its principles.

"Israel's membership in the United Nations is thus in question," he said. "The best I can do is to remind the Security Council of its competence to apply its authority in this matter."

Cab Drivers Seek Pistols.  
PARIS, Dec. 16 (UP)—A taxi-cab drivers' union demands that its members be granted the right to carry pistols to protect themselves from backseat robbers.

## President Using Leisure Time To Do Some Entertaining

Denver and Augusta Friends Visit Him, Brother and White House Staff Are Dinner Guests.

By JAMES DEAKIN  
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

GETTYSBURG, Penn., Dec. 16—President Eisenhower, taking advantage of the rest period recommended by his doctors to do a little social entertaining, showed an old Denver friend, Aksel Nielsen, around his farm today.

Nielsen, a mortgage banker and one of the President's favorite fishing companions, had not seen the farm before. He arrived by plane from Washington with Col. Andrew J. Goodpastor, White House staff secretary.

Goodpastor, who has been keeping Mr. Eisenhower up to date on routine Government business since he arrived back at the farm Tuesday for a few days of relaxation, had a few official papers for the President's attention.

Tour of Farm.  
After that, Mr. Eisenhower took Nielsen out for a tour of the grounds around the farm house. The weather was clear and cold, with only a few traces of the light snow which fell last night.

The President is particularly proud of his small herd of cattle, many of them gifts from friends and farm groups, and it was expected he and Nielsen would go up to the barns, perhaps using a new two-seat golf car Mr. Eisenhower received yesterday.

Nielsen is co-owner of one of the President's favorite vacation spots, a Rocky Mountain fishing lodge near Fraser, Colo.

Mr. Eisenhower had some other visitors last night. He entertained members of his personal White House staff at dinner. Also on hand was his brother, Dr. Milton Eisenhower, president of Pennsylvania State University.

Earlier in the day, an old friend, Clifford Roberts, an investment banker, dropped in for a visit. Roberts is chairman of the executive committee of the Augusta (Ga.) National Golf Club, also one of Mr. Eisenhower's favorite vacation spots.

Speculation on Trip.  
Roberts' visit prompted to reporters to wonder if the President and Mrs. Eisenhower were contemplating a visit to Augusta sometime in January or February, as they have done in previous years.

Reports of a trip south, after the Eisenhowers spend Christmas at the White House, have persisted despite presidential press secretary James C. Hagerly's repeated statements that he knows nothing of such plans.

Two other visitors to the farm yesterday presented the President with a second golf car to use in getting around the farm

and eventually around the golf course when and if his doctors permit it.

The three-wheel electric car, a sky-blue affair with black and white striped upholstery, was the gift of R. H. Ammon and W. B. Ammon, officials of the Cushman Motor Works of Lincoln, Neb. Mr. Eisenhower already has one golf car, a four-seat vehicle.

Tomorrow morning Dr. Paul Dudley White, noted Boston heart specialist, arrives for a check-up of Mr. Eisenhower's condition.

Radio and TV Talk.  
Sunday evening, the convalescing Chief Executive will make a short radio and television speech to the nation. His remarks, scheduled for 4:10 p.m. St. Louis time, will be part of a half-hour ceremony in which he will press a button to light the "Pageant of Peace" Christmas tree in Washington.

Citizens of Gettysburg wished Mr. and Mrs. Eisenhower a Merry Christmas last night with carol singing and a holiday pageant in the town square, but his doctor's orders prevented the President and Mrs. Eisenhower from attending.

President May Broadcast State of Union Message.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16—The White House is exploring the idea of having President Eisenhower broadcast the State of the Union message from his office to a joint session of Congress, an unprecedented method of delivery. This was learned from an authoritative source yesterday.

The President is not expected to deliver the message in person next January. He is under doctor's orders not to tax his strength.

Republican congressional leaders have not been informed as yet of the possibility of a "live" radio transmission of the State of the Union message into the House chamber. One ranking Republican said: "The last I heard, they were going to send it up. If the President wants to broadcast it, of course we would give that every consideration."

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## RUSSIA VETOES JAPAN'S U.N. BID FOR THIRD TIME

Votes Favorably Only on Proposal That Also Includes Outer Mongolia.

The New York Herald Tribune Post-Dispatch Special Dispatch.  
UNITED NATIONS, N.Y., Dec. 16—Russia, its hand forced by the United States, yesterday vetoed Japan for United Nations membership for the third time in three days.

The first two—Tuesday and Wednesday—were vetoes for immediate membership. Yesterday's veto killed a formal request that Japan be admitted at the 1956 Assembly session.

Less than a minute after he placed his veto against a United States proposal for Japan's future admission, Russian delegate Arkady A. Sobolev turned about and on a proposal of his own, voted for Japan—but only on condition that Outer Mongolia, an Asian Soviet satellite, enter the U.N. along with Japan.

His resolution fell, however, because no other country supported it. The 10 other Security Council members abstained. A proposal needs at least seven votes for approval.

United States delegate Henry Cabot Lodge Jr. denounced the Soviet veto of Japan as an "extremely regrettable use of the veto to keep a great and well-qualified country out of the U.N." It was Russia's seventh-seventh veto in U.N. history.

When Russia vetoed Japan for the second time, on Wednesday, Sobolev said that actually he would like to see Japan a U.N. member. He indicated he wanted to keep Japan out to balance the candidacy of Outer Mongolia, which had fallen under a Nationalist Chinese veto on Tuesday.

Lodge replied that if Sobolev wanted to see Japan in the U.N., he could prove it and the United States delegate accordingly put forward a brief proposal calling on the General Assembly to admit Japan next year. It was this resolution that Sobolev vetoed yesterday.

The British delegate Sir Pierson Dixon then offered the following resolution: "The Security Council takes note that Japan is fully qualified for membership in the United Nations and expresses the hope that Japan will soon be admitted to the United Nations."

Sobolev said the British resolution "deserves serious consideration" but he asked for more time to think it over. The Council then adjourned until next Wednesday.

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## FARE RISE NEEDED TO OFFSET PAY BOOST, P.S. CO. SAYS AT HEARING

Without It, Rate of Return Will Drop to 2.6 Pct., Company Spokesman Tells State Commission.

By EDWARD H. THORNTON  
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 16.—The \$955,000 annual increase in bus and streetcar fares sought by St. Louis Public Service Co. is required to offset an estimated \$977,000 in increased labor costs in 1956, the Missouri Public Service Commission was told today.

The statement was made by Gaylord C. Burke, vice president and general counsel of the company, as the hearings on the company application opened here.

Interveners opposing the fare increase include the cities of St. Louis, University City, Kirkwood, Ferguson, Richmond Heights, Clayton and Brentwood as well as St. Louis county. The St. Louis Board of Education also intervened for the purpose of seeing that the company fully justified the need for an increase in student passes before it is approved.

**Calls Earnings Inadequate.** Burke told the commission evidence would show that the company's level of earnings is already inadequate because the current year's estimated rate of return is only 3.73 per cent on the company's net original-cost base.

"Unless the new rate schedule now proposed is permitted to go into effect promptly, the company's earnings for the year 1956 will be reduced materially by these increased labor costs," he said.

"The evidence will show that the estimate of 1956 operations on the basis of 1955 income and expense experience, and with no rate change, would result in a rate of return of only 2.6 per cent on the company's net original-cost rate base."

If the rate increase is granted, on the other hand, the company estimates it will be able to realize a return of 4.21 per cent on this base, Burke said.

"As a result, the effect of the new rate schedule will be to just about restore the level of the company's earnings which would have been experienced in this year 1955 if the operations had not been affected by these increased labor costs or by the work stoppage which occurred early in October," he said.

**"Must Be Passed Along."** "This company's business is not different from any other business insofar as the economic facts of life are concerned. When the circumstances of the 'market place' require an upward adjustment in wage rates, the added costs resulting therefrom must be passed along to the rate payer."

Philip E. Lohofner, controller of the company and its first witness, explained various company exhibits setting forth the rates the company estimated it would earn with and without the fare increase.

The fare increase would add 23 cents to the cost of the regular weekly permit and express weekly permit which now sell for 75 cents and \$1 respectively. Guido Moss, manager of the research and schedules division of the company, testified. No change is sought in the basic cash fare of 20 cents or the 10-cent fare paid with each ride on the permits.

**Student Pass Plan.** However, the student pass would be raised from \$1 to \$1.25 and the rides when the pass is used as a permit after school hours and on Sundays and holidays would cost 15 cents instead of 10 cents as at present. It was the rise in the student pass that prompted the Board of Education to intervene in the hearing.

### Missouri-Illinois Forecasts

**Missouri:** Mostly cloudy tonight and tomorrow; warmer tonight and in southeast and extreme south tomorrow; turning colder in north tomorrow; low tonight in 20s in east to around 30 in west; high tomorrow from 30s in north to around 50 in extreme southeast.

**Illinois:** Considerable cloudiness tonight and tomorrow; some light snow or snow flurries likely in north and west central tomorrow; warmer tonight and tomorrow except turning colder again in northwest tomorrow; low tonight 15 to 22; high tomorrow from 25 to 30 in extreme northwest to 40s in southeast.

### Weather in Other Cities

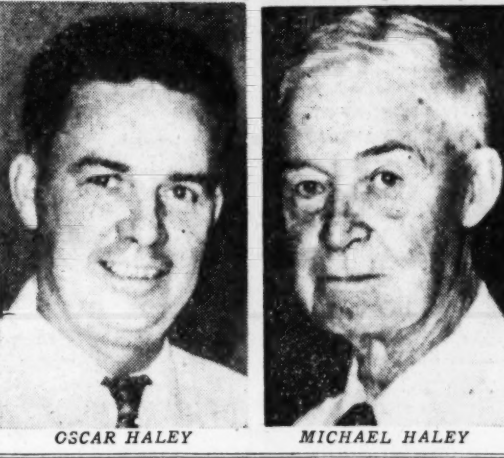
(Observations for high at 6:30 a.m. for previous 24 hours; low for previous 12 hours.)

	High	Low	Rain
Atlanta	48	18	...
Birmingham, N.D.	45	15	...
Boston	39	18	...
Brownsville, Tex.	75	60	...
Chicago	32	18	...
Cincinnati	32	18	...
Columbia, Mo.	32	18	...
Denver	32	18	...
Detroit	32	18	...
El Paso	32	18	...
Fort Worth	32	18	...
Kansas City	32	18	...
Little Rock, Ark.	32	18	...
Los Angeles	32	18	...
Memphis	32	18	...
Miami	32	18	...
Minneapolis	32	18	...
New Orleans	32	18	...
New York	32	18	...
Oklahoma City	32	18	...
Philadelphia	32	18	...
Phoenix, Ariz.	32	18	...
Portland, Me.	32	18	...
Portland, Ore.	32	18	...
St. Louis	32	18	...
Seattle	32	18	...
Washington, D.C.	32	18	...
Winnipeg	32	18	...

## Rescuer, 2 Burn Victims



RALPH SCHAFER, 4244 Norfolk avenue, who rescued two women and a baby by ladder after fire trapped them in second-floor apartment last night.



OSCAR HALEY

MICHAEL HALEY

the hearing. The Board has estimated the higher price of the passes would cost it \$11,500 more a year on the passes it buys for children who must use public transportation to get to school. Cost to the children who buy their own passes has been put at \$100,000 more a year.

In a letter to the commission, the Rev. James T. Curtin, superintendent of Catholic high schools in the St. Louis archdiocese, asked that the increase in student passes be rejected. Declaring that of the 12,000 students in Catholic high schools in the St. Louis area 6350 use the weekly student passes, he said the increased cost which would have to be borne by the students "would be detrimental to their interests."

Moss told the commission that Public Service Co. was the only public utility in the city that made any concession to children in the price of its product and he said that even with the increase, the youngsters would still enjoy an advantage over the adult riders. He expressed the opinion the increase was completely justified.

The company completed presentation of its case at noon and the commission continued the hearing until Jan. 23 when the company's two witnesses, Lohofner and Moss, will be cross-examined and intervenors will present their case.

### HOLDUP MAN ROBS BAR IN GRANITE CITY OF \$1378

A Granite City tavern was robbed of \$1378 at noon today by a man who showed a pistol and forced the bartender, Howard Hamilton, to give him the money from a cigar box behind the bar, police reported.

Twelve customers were in the Tip Top Cafe, 1746 State street, when the robber entered, but he made no attempt to take their money.

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## BURNS TO DEATH IN BLAZE THAT DESTROYS HOME

3 Men Burned in Another Fire, 2 Women and Baby Brought Down Ladder.

One man was burned to death and three other persons were burned, two seriously, in two separate fires last night and early today. In one fire, two women and a baby were rescued from a second-floor apartment by a man who brought them down by ladder.

Harry Lynch, a packing house employee, died of burns suffered today when his four-room frame house at 918 North Thirty-first street, East St. Louis, caught fire and burned to the ground.

Lynch was 35 years old. Assistant Fire Chief James O. Groce said the fire apparently was caused by a cigarette Lynch had been smoking in bed. Groce said damage was \$2000 to Lynch's house and \$1000 to the house next door at 916 North Thirty-first, occupied by Mrs. Jessie Kennedy, who fled and was uninjured.

Mrs. Lynch told police her husband came home early today intoxicated and ordered her out of the house. She stayed with relatives, she said, returning later to find the house in ruins and firemen at the scene. Twice recently she extinguished fires started by her husband's cigarettes, Mrs. Lynch said.

**Oil Stove Explodes.** Michael Haley, 77 years old, and his son Oscar Haley, 47, were seriously burned last night when an oil stove exploded as they were trying to move it in the elder Haley's apartment at 4242 Norfolk avenue.

Eneas Williams, a neighbor living at 4238 Norfolk, suffered burns of the hands when he helped beat out flames in Oscar Haley's clothing. Two women and a baby, trapped by the fire on the second floor, were taken to the ground by a ladder. Members of two other families living in the building were able to leave without aid.

Police were told that the stove which had been filled with oil was starting to leak and flame up. Oscar Haley and his father dragged it from the bedroom through the kitchen to the rear porch, where it exploded.

**Ran Down Steps.** The younger man, his clothing afire, ran down the back steps to the yard, where Williams helped him beat out the flames. He was taken to St. John's Hospital suffering from serious burns of 75 per cent of the body.

Michael Haley and his wife, 71, who was not injured were led out of the building by the front entrance by a grandson, John Haley, 21, living next door at 4244 Norfolk.

**Helped Down Ladder.** Mrs. Robert Feltz, her 3-month-old son, Donald and Mrs. Oscar Haley, living in second-floor apartments, were helped down a ladder by Ralph Schaffer, 4244 Norfolk, and his father, John Schaffer, 4244 Norfolk.

John Schaffer, who is Mrs. Feltz's father, knowing that the only second floor exit was by the flaming rear staircase, shouted to the women to remain calm and come to a front window, where a ladder was brought.

Ralph Schaffer made three trips up the ladder, first helping Mrs. Feltz to descend. He then went up a second time, was handed the baby by Mrs. Haley, and carried the child down. On

## BANK ROBBERY SUSPECT CAUGHT AT HOTEL HERE

FBI and Police Arrest Man Sought in Hold-up of Merton (Wis.) Institution.

Roy Norman Kuehl, charged with taking \$4733 in a Merton (Wis.) bank robbery Tuesday, was arrested by Federal Bureau of Investigation agents today at Hotel Statler, where he had registered last night.

The agents, assisted by a St. Louis policeman, arrested Kuehl in his room, which he had taken under an assumed name. He offered no resistance. The FBI did not say how it learned Kuehl was here.

Kuehl, a 31-year-old shipping clerk whose home is in Milwaukee, and another man are accused of being the armed robbers who entered the Merton branch of the Peewaukee State Bank and stole the \$4733 from a cash drawer and the vault. Kuehl had \$728 when arrested.

The robbers ordered Fred Staus, branch manager, who was alone in the bank, to put the money in a briefcase. They then attempted to lock Staus in the vault but failed to close the door tightly.

He grabbed a 30-caliber rifle and a 32-caliber revolver, which had been in the vault, and fired at the two men as they were leaving the bank. He also fired four shots as the robbers' automobile sped away in a snowstorm.

The car eluded roadblocks but later was found abandoned in the parking lot of a railroad station at Green Bay, Wis. There were three bullet holes in the back of the machine.

The license number was traced to a man living at Fond du Lac, Wis. Federal warrants charging bank robbery were issued against him and Kuehl by the United States Commissioner at Milwaukee Wednesday.

the third trip, Schaffer assisted Mrs. Haley to climb down. The elder Schaffer stood at the foot of the ladder to assist the women.

Michael Haley was taken to City Hospital for treatment of serious burns of the face, hands and legs. Williams was treated for hand burns and released. Firemen fought the blaze, which was confined to the rear porch area, in temperatures near 15 degrees. Damage was estimated at \$2000 to the house and \$500 to the contents.

**Fire at Godfrey, Ill.** In a fire early today at Godfrey, Ill., near Alton, 15 persons were made homeless when three frame houses were destroyed and a fourth damaged on Oakwood road at Tulane avenue.

The blaze, of undetermined origin, started in a cafe which was part of a five-room house. Flames spread to a three-room house in the rear and to one next door.

No one was injured. Those who fled their homes were Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Jordan, owners of the cafe; Mrs. Verdie May Womack, a widow, and her five children; Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Burnett, their three children, and Burnett's sister-in-law, Miss Babel Hart, and J. B. Briscoe, whose home was damaged.

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## In Family Shooting



J. P. MILLIGAN

MRS. VIRGINIA MILLIGAN

## SHOOTS WIFE KILLS SELF AS CHILD WATCHES

Husband Had Accused Woman of Dating Other Men—Second Son Asleep.

J. P. Milligan, a machinist, seriously wounded his wife and then shot and killed himself last night after a quarrel in which he accused her of going out with other men.

Milligan's two children, Tony, 7 years old, a cerebral palsy victim, and Bonnie, 5, were both in the bedroom of the Milligan home, 2753A Geyer avenue, where the shooting occurred. Tony was awake and watched the entire incident.

Milligan, 33 years old, died at City Hospital at 12:02 a.m. today, less than an hour after the shooting. His wife, Virginia, 26, was in serious condition there with a gunshot wound in the chest.

Both Mrs. Milligan and other members of the family told police Milligan had for some time shown "unwarranted jealousy" toward his wife, and had accused her of having dates with other men.

She told police they got into an argument last night after they returned from a movie. Mrs. Milligan said her husband got a .32 caliber pistol belonging to her father, Argie Howard, who lives on the first floor of the Geyer avenue address, from a closet and said, "I am going to kill myself."

Mrs. Milligan said she told him to "behave" and go to bed. She thought he put the pistol away, she said, but instead he returned and leaned over the bed.

He said "good night," she told police, and fired one shot hitting her in the chest. He then shot himself. In response to Mrs. Milligan's calls for help, her brother, Leland Howard, ran up from the first-floor apartment.

Howard found her sitting on the foot of the bed, screaming, and carried her downstairs. He then summoned police. Milligan was employed at

## CITY DECLINES TO TAKE OVER SALVAGE CORPS

\$100,000 Expense Wouldn't Be Justified by Reduced Fire Losses: Tucker.

The city will not take over operation of the salvage corps which has been maintained by fire insurance companies, Mayor Raymond R. Tucker announced today.

The \$100,000-a-year expense of operating the corps would not be justified by savings in reduced fire losses, he said, acting on the advice of Fire Chief Hugh Lyon and Public Safety Director Joseph P. Sestrie.

The corps has been financed by stock fire insurance companies doing business in St. Louis, but the companies have stated that they are withdrawing their support at the end of the year, believing that the expense should be assumed by the public. They have offered to give the city all the corps equipment if it takes over the operation.

The corps executive committee will meet Tuesday to discuss the city's reply.

Fire Chief Lyon informed the Mayor that the city's firemen are trained to protect property, and asserted that the only extra service performed by the salvage corps is to throw tarpaulins over merchandise and furnishings to prevent water damage. The fire department does not have the manpower to provide this service, he explained.

If the fire insurance companies do not believe that the savings effected by the corps are worth the cost of operating the special service, this would indicate that the added expenditure would not be justified for the city, Tucker declared.

John J. O'Toole, member of the corps executive committee, contended that the salvage corps, by integration with the fire department, could be operated at a cost of less than \$30,000 a year to the city.

**Wolf Bounty for Train.** SAULT STE. MARIE, Ont., Dec. 16 (AP)—Trainmen on a branch line of the Algoma Central railway qualified for \$50 bounty money by plowing into a wolf pack and killing two wolves with the locomotive. It would have been \$75 but a third wolf limped away.

**Mrs. Luce Leaves for U.S.** ROME, Dec. 16 (UPI)—United States Ambassador Clare Boothe Luce left by plane for New York today for consultations in Washington, and Christmas at home. She was accompanied by her husband, Henry R. Luce.

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# GLENN L. MARTIN LEFT \$2,000,000 TO MARYLAND U.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 16 (UP)—The University of Maryland and other institutions will receive about \$3,635,000 under the will of Glenn L. Martin, pioneer aviator and aircraft builder who died Dec. 4.

Martin's will was probated yesterday. He left \$2,000,000 to the university for establish-

ment of the Minta Martin aeronautical research foundation. This was in addition to an earlier grant for the foundation, which honors his mother. Other gifts included \$250,000 for the Institute of Aeronautical Services; \$100,000 to the Massachusetts Institute of Technology; \$100,000 to the Case Institute of Applied Sciences and \$100,000 to the All-American Amateur Baseball Association.

The exact size of the estate was not given. Any remainder will go to Martin's heirs under Maryland law.

# TRAFFIC VIOLATOR TRIMS \$10 BILLS AND THE POLICE

LONG BEACH, Calif., Dec. 16 (AP)—Among those traffic violators who paid fines yesterday at the police traffic division there lurks a swindler. He sypped the city out of \$9 right under the eyes of the law.

Clerk A. A. Williams, counting the receipts from fines, came across a \$1 bill among the \$10 bills. He hadn't spotted it right away because, at the corners, it looked like a 10-spot.

The culprit, said Williams,

# had snipped one corner off four \$10 bills and pasted them on corresponding corners of the \$1 bill.

So the fellow had beaten the city out of the \$9 and hadn't seriously mutilated any of his \$10 bills.

# HALL OPTIMISTIC ABOUT G.O.P. WINNING FLORIDA

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 16 (AP)—Leonard W. Hall, Republican National Chairman, has expressed optimism over G.O.P.

# chances of winning Florida again in 1956.

Hall, who arrived last night from Washington for a vacation of several days, brushed aside questions concerning President Eisenhower's future status but spoke confidently of Republican party prospects next year.

"I believe Florida will be the first Southern state to join the Republican ranks permanently," he predicted.

Florida voted Republican in the 1952 presidential race when it favored Mr. Eisenhower over Adlai Stevenson, the Democratic nominee, by about 100,000 votes.

# CHRISTMAS PARADE NEARLY UPSET BY ABSENT DONKEY

LENZBURG, Switzerland, Dec. 16 (UP)—A donkey missed a train in Brugg, Switzerland, and almost spoiled this city's traditional Santa Claus parade.

Tradition requires Santa Claus to ride through Lenzburg streets on a donkey.

Investigation showed that a railway worker at Brugg, where the donkey had to change trains from Zurich, hitched the animal to a post behind a shed and forgot about it.

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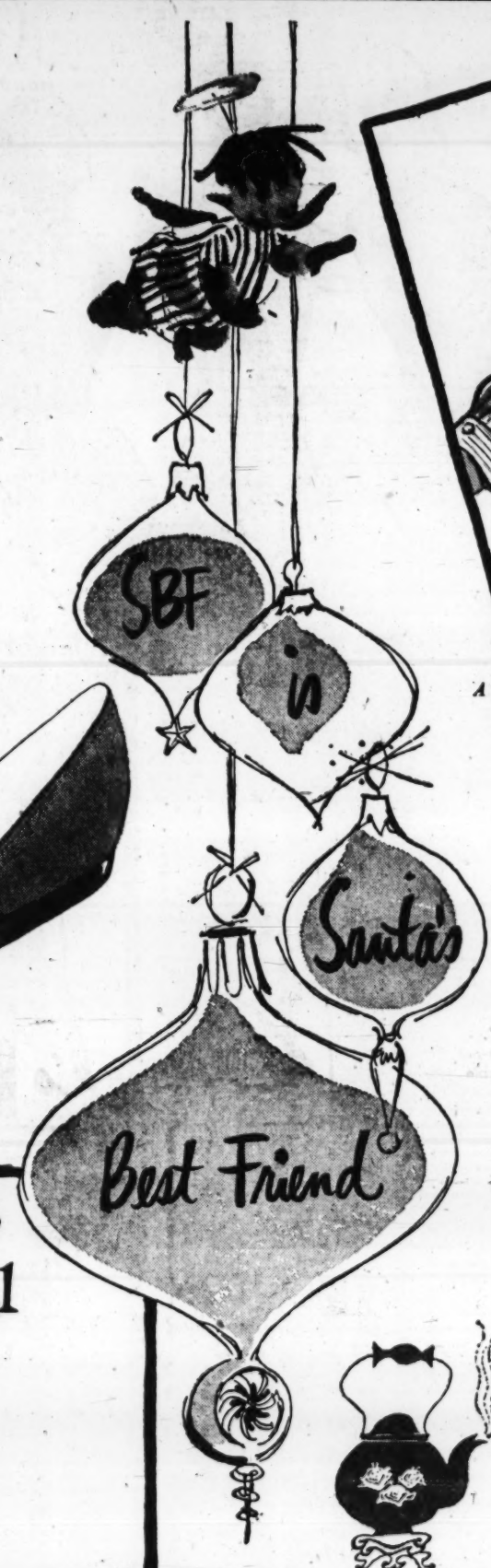
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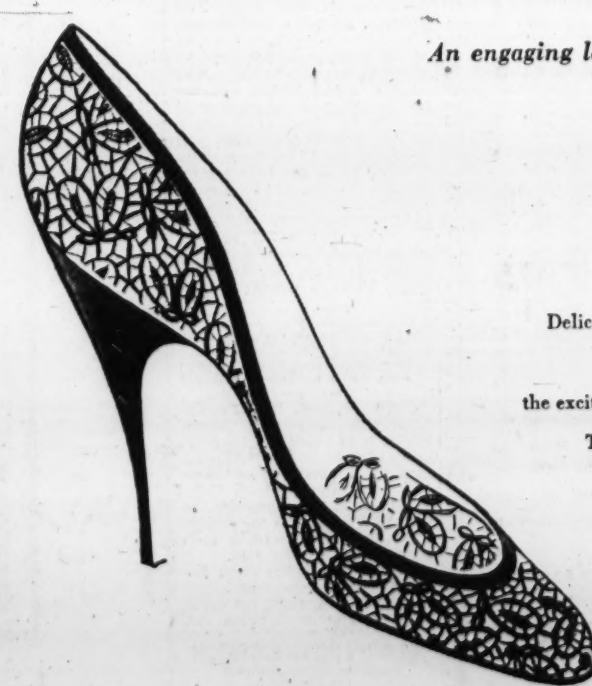
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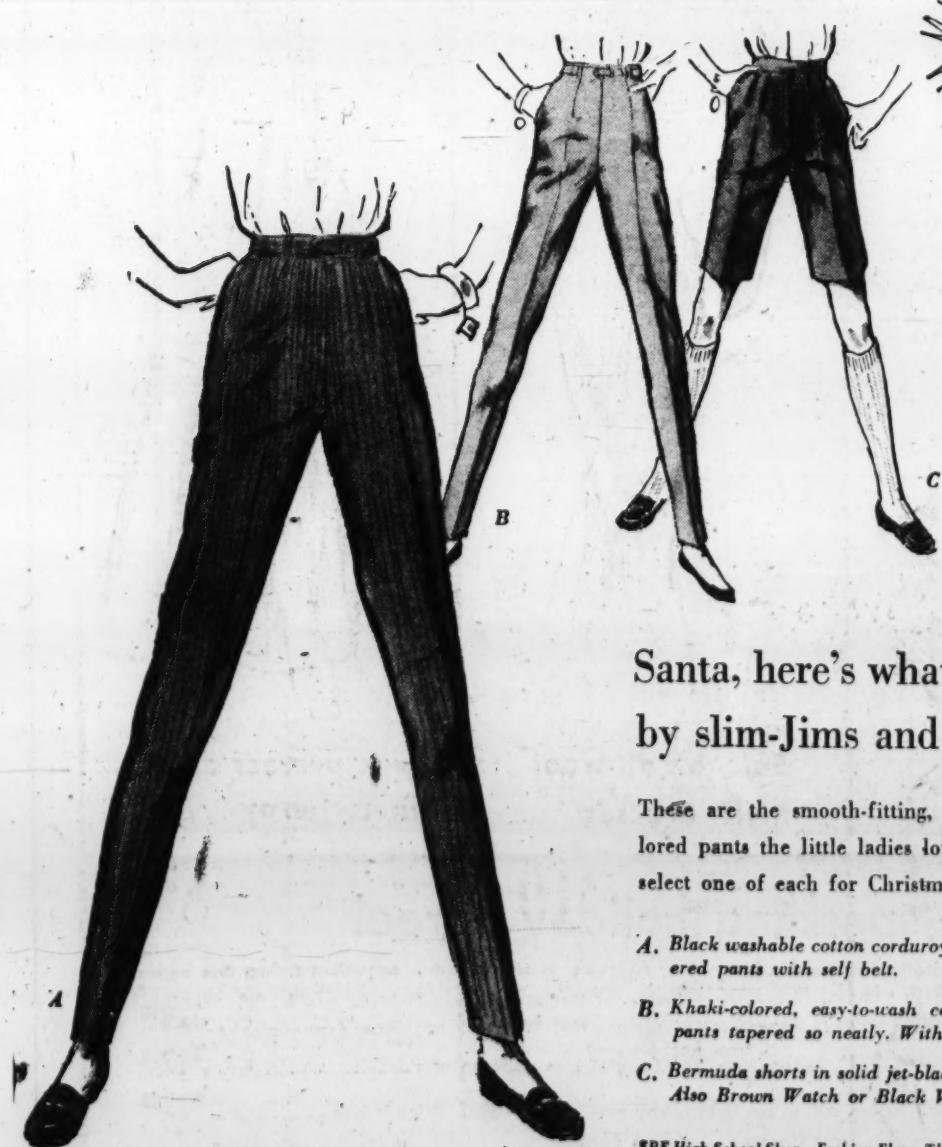


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- B. Khaki-colored, easy-to-wash cotton slim-Jim pants tapered so neatly. With self belt. \$4.99
- C. Bermuda shorts in solid jet-black or charcoal. Also Brown Watch or Black Watch plaid. \$5.99

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### KEFAUVER MAKES FORMAL ENTRY INTO CAMPAIGN

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because it is well known that there was a marked coolness between Kefauver and Truman during that period, largely because of the fact that Kefauver's famous crime investigation caused Democratic politicians in certain parts of the country.

Overtaken by Stevenson.

Truman's support of Stevenson was credited with giving substance to a "draft" movement which overwhelmed Kefauver after he had held a lead on the first two convention ballots. Kefauver said he was not sure as to what preferential primary he might enter, though he said he would go into as many as possible. The deciding factors would be the amount of campaign money he would have available and the press of senatorial duties.

"This will be the last year the Republicans will be in power so we Democrats are going to have to stick close to Washington and keep an eye on them," he remarked.

He said that an earlier estimate that a real primary campaign would cost him \$200,000 was very low. In California, he said it would cost \$100,000 simply to send a postcard to each Democratic voter.

It is considered likely that Stevenson and Kefauver will clash in both the Florida and California primaries. California's 68th convention votes will be at stake in voting June 5. The Florida primary for 28th convention votes is May 29.

Stevenson Picks Spots. Stevenson has taken the initiative in selecting primary battlegrounds by announcing his name will be entered in California, Florida, Minnesota, Pennsylvania and Illinois.

Kefauver was entered in 15 primaries in 1952 and won in all but three, but learned at the convention that leading in primary voting does not, by any means, guarantee nomination.

The proceedings today were brightened by the presence of the Senator's red-haired wife Nancy, who aided him immeasurably in the 1952 pre-convention campaign. After the press conference broke up, she smilingly posed with her husband for pictures. Kefauver placed his left arm around her waist and held her left hand in his right.

Kefauver addressed reporters from a desk in front of a 10x8-foot picture of himself.

On two occasions he had to admonish "guests" because they applauded his statement. These "guests," apparently workers from the Kefauver headquarters here, were reminded by the Senator that this was a press conference. He added, however, that he soon would provide an occasion when their applause would be most welcome.

Kefauver, a Yale man, did not put on his coonskin cap—symbol of his 1952 campaign, but he went through the motions of tossing it into the ring as the flood lights shone and the cameras flashed, flashed and popped.

In his statement, Kefauver said he had received encouragement to become a candidate, particularly from rank and file Democrats.

"Good Thing for Party." He said it was a "good thing" for the Democratic party to have a choice of a number of candidates for the presidential nomination, rather than be in the position of a C.O.P. which, he said, suffers from lack of alternative candidates broadly representative of their party.

He said that as a candidate for the nomination he would seek to maintain "the spirit of unity which now permeates our party."

"I hope that nothing that I or any other candidate will do or say in the forthcoming campaign will strain that unity," he went on.

He said he would strive, in the future, as he had in 17 years as a member of the House and Senate, to advance the forward-looking progressive traditions of the Democratic party which characterized the administrations of Presidents Roosevelt and Truman.

Stevenson has told a Democratic audience that the trend of the times is toward "moderation."

Other points covered by Kefauver:

He would rather have India and Yugoslavia in their present "neutral" position than "completely" on the side of Russia in the cold war.

He will work out his political difficulties with Gov. Frank G. Clement of Tennessee and hopes to have the support of his home state's delegation to the convention, though Clement already has said he will try to deliver it to Stevenson.

The murder of Ernest Till, 12-year-old Negro, in Mississippi was a "terrible" thing and

someone should have been brought to account. He favors federal legislation against lynchings.

If Russian arms for Egypt create an "unbalance" Western powers should see that Israel gets enough arms to protect itself.

His first act if elected President will be to select a Secretary of State who can decide what to do and then do it and establish a policy to win back the friends we have lost in Asia and Africa.

He is not a candidate for the vice presidential nomination. Third to Enter Race.

Kefauver is the third Democrat to announce formally for the party's 1956 nomination. The others are Stevenson, the 1952 standard bearer, and Gov. Frank J. Lausche of Ohio who announced this week that he will enter Ohio's presidential primary as a favorite son candidate.

Gov. Averell Harriman of New York also has announced that his name will be placed in nomination at the national convention, but he insists he is not an "active" candidate.

In Chicago, Stevenson said of Kefauver's candidacy, "I say, come on in. The water's fine. I am glad to hear that he wants to increase the unity and strength of our party. Certainly we shall need unity and strength next November, for the important contest."

In advance of Kefauver's announcement, Senator A. S. Mike Monroney of Oklahoma, an outspoken supporter of Stevenson, said he would welcome the Tennessee's entrance as an active contender.

Monroney said in an interview that he has complete confidence that Stevenson wants a pre-convention test of his strength in preferential primaries and otherwise.

"It is a good thing for the Democratic party for Senator Kefauver and any others who want to run to get into the competition, and that includes favorite sons," Monroney said.

"Democrats like to look at more than one diamond in the showcase. The Democratic party has a lot of good men and I think the best one will win the nomination. That's Stevenson."

Committee Asks Bar on Thousands From Merit Plan

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for immediate action was made by Alderman William A. Stolar, Twenty-eighth Ward Republican.

Warns Against Delay. Protesting against any further delay on the bill, which had been pending before the committee since last October, Stolar warned that additional delays might prevent the holding of the proposed election of freeholders March 6.

Stolar's motion that the bill be taken up today was held out of order by Board President Donald Gunn, who pointed out that under board rules the bill had to go first to the enforcement committee. Stolar's appeal from Gunn's ruling was defeated on a voice vote.

Alderman Fred W. Haag, Twelfth Ward Republican, filed a minority report as a member of the legislation committee, declaring that any effort for partial revision of the charter amendments would fail. He urged that the Mayor's bill be passed, so a board of freeholders could draft a new charter.

Nine Other Changes. The committee also recommended in its report nine other basic changes in the charter, most of which were contained in the proposed new charter drafted by the voters in 1950. The committee approved these proposals last summer, but did not report them to the board for action until today.

One would return to the city 10 powers which it must now obtain through enabling acts passed by the Missouri Legislature. Another would establish a new city Division of Accounting. Also recommended was that the salary of the Mayor be increased from \$10,000 to \$25,000 a year.

Other proposed changes would:

Require only one election in enacting an ordinance or charter amendment by the initiative process. At present two elections must be held.

Give the Mayor and Aldermen more power in granting franchises to public utilities to use city streets, and give the city power to require changes and adjustments in the use of such franchises.

Permit Bond Issues. Permit the city to issue revenue bonds for any self-supporting municipal activity.

Increase the number of businesses which must pay city license taxes, to include those types of businesses which were not in existence when the present charter was adopted in 1914

and are now escaping payment of such levies.

Require all public works be undertaken only on recommendation of the Mayor and that prevailing wage rates be paid on all such projects.

Require the Mayor's recommendation for all ordinances setting up special benefit tax districts, and authorizing the levying of special assessments.

Pumping Station Fund. The board appropriated \$500,000 to continue rehabilitation of the Chain of Rocks pumping station and \$10,000 to supplement the circuit attorney's fund for investigations.

It passed an ordinance authorizing detention of women prisoners in the city jail instead of the workhouse. The old women's headquarters at the workhouse will be used to alleviate crowding among male prisoners.

A bill was introduced to authorize widening of Jefferson avenue between Olive street and Washington avenue. This and other sections of Jefferson are to be widened with bond issue funds.

ALDERMEN ARE HIGHLY CRITICAL OF TRAFFIC UNIT

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vey would include the need for and location of every stop sign in the city.

Survey Badly Needed. It was the opinion of the committee that such a survey is badly needed and it urged the board to state that it would appropriate any reasonable sum needed to carry it out.

"The necessity for employing an outside firm to make such a survey has been accentuated by the testimony of Traffic Commissioner Gontier who states that his office is not qualified to make such a survey and that under the present manpower allotted to it, three to five years would be involved in its completion," the report said.

It was announced in the report that D. Grant Mickle, director of traffic of the Automotive Safety Foundation of Washington had agreed to come to St. Louis, if requested, to confer on the overall questions of the traffic control problem without expense to the city.

A resolution asking Mayor Raymond R. Tucker to extend such an invitation to Mickle was adopted by the board. This was the only action taken on the report beyond accepting it from the committee, although one recommendation for overriding Mayor Tucker's veto of a bill for a stop sign at DeSoto avenue and Emily street was carried out by unanimous passage of the bill.

However, this was a long-pending action that was completed only after Alderman Carl Gassel, in whose First Ward the intersection lies, said he was more convinced than ever of the need for the sign and asked the board to pass the bill.

Would Keep Powers. The committee agreed in general with the conclusion of a special committee of the Chamber of Commerce that professional and technical advice was necessary for proper traffic control. However it did not agree with a recommendation of that committee to take away traffic control powers from the aldermen and vest them in an appointed commission.

"The test of whether such a drastic shift is necessary can come only after it is determined on the basis of experience that needed traffic reforms cannot be secured through action of the Board of Aldermen or that this board is so unresponsive to sound advice that it will turn a deaf ear to any meritorious plan or suggestion coming from the Traffic Commissioner, as provided for in the present Traffic Code."

Another recommendation of the chamber's special committee for co-ordination of all traffic control procedures throughout the metropolitan area met with the traffic committee's approval. It recommended the aldermen co-operate in any such undertaking.

A bill was introduced at today's session that would bar parking during morning and evening rush hours on the side of the heavier traffic flow of seven streets at the south end of the Third Street Interregional Highway. Its purpose is to expedite traffic on these feeder streets near their intersection with the expressway.

Members of the traffic committee are A. J. Cervantes, chairman; Joseph F. Kavanaugh, Gassel, Wayman E. Smith Jr., A. Barney Mueller, William K. Gardner and William A. Stolar. Board President Donald Gunn joined them in signing the report.

TELLS OF FACE-LIFTING FOR KING CAROL'S WIDOW

MADRID, Dec. 16 (AP)—Dr. Daniel Shorell, a Miami Beach (Fla.) plastic surgeon, said today he had performed a face-lifting operation on Elena Lupescu, widow of King Carol of Romania. The operation, in Lisbon Dec. 12, was the second time he has performed such surgery for her, he said.

Carol's widow has been living in Estoril, a resort just outside Lisbon, since his death in 1953. She is 57 years old.

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lision.**

Bert Thomas Allsman, 46 years old, died yesterday at St. Joseph's Hospital in Alton of injuries suffered Wednesday night when the taxicab he was driving overturned and caught fire in a three-automobile collision at Broadway and Spring avenues, Alton.

Hospital authorities said Allsman suffered burns over 85 per cent of his body. His daughter-in-law, Mrs. Catherine Allsman and her infant son, Joseph, both passengers, also were treated for burns.

Police said Allsman's cab had stopped in the left turn lane heading east in Broadway, when it was struck in the rear by an automobile driven by Ralph L. Trask, of Fieldon, which was in turn struck by another machine driven by John D. Branham of Bethalto.

Charges of reckless driving and driving when intoxicated were placed against Trask and Branham by Alton police. Allsman lived at 618 Wyss street, Alton.

Oscar R. Harris, a tool grinder, 5621 Bulwer avenue, was seriously injured last night when the automobile he was driving crashed into the rear of a tractor trailer in the 1700 block of North Broadway.

Harris suffered head and internal injuries. He was pinned in the car, and it was necessary for a Fire Department rescue squad to remove him.

Driver of the tractor trailer was Ralph Royer, 7413 Calvin avenue, who told police he was making a left turn with his directional lights flashing when the accident occurred.

Mrs. Helen McGarvey, an office worker, 1116 North Forty-first street, East St. Louis was seriously injured early today when the automobile she was driving and another car collided at Seventh and Olive streets. She suffered head injuries, a fractured right arm

## COLIN KELLY III GETS EAGLE RANK, TOP SCOUT AWARD

CONCORDVILLE, Pa., Dec. 16 (AP)—A tall red-haired boy with a ready grin, bearer of a famous name, accepted his own hour of tribute last night with a becoming shyness that would have warmed his father's heart.

Colin P. Kelly III, son of the United States' first hero of World War II, received his Eagle Scout award in a ceremony before neighbors and friends in a church hall in this Philadelphia suburb.

And the slim, erect 15-year-old, who looks like his late father, was so engrossed with "Scout talk" with the many friends who turned out for the occasion that he paid scant attention to the cameramen and reporters on hand to cover the event.

His mother and stepfather, Mr. and Mrs. J. Watson Pedlow, who have tried to shield him whenever possible from any public display, were on hand to take part in the ceremony.

Capt. Kelly lost his life in a bombing mission in the first days after Pearl Harbor was attacked by the Japanese.

President Roosevelt wrote a public letter to "the President of the United States in 1956" asking that the airman's 15-month-old son be given an appointment to West Point in appreciation.

and fractured collarbone. Miss Dixie Lee Plimmons, 6948 Manchester avenue, who was riding with Mrs. McGarvey, suffered cuts.

Driver of the other automobile was Leonard A. Kelley, a Post-Dispatch printer, 3924 1/2 Oleatha avenue, who suffered cuts and bruises. Raymond Konold, also a Post-Dispatch printer, 7622A South Broadway, who was in the automobile with Kelley, suffered bruises.

Daniel F. McCabe, 3639 Tennessee avenue, and Karl Weichold, 6415 Hoffman avenue, both Public Service Co. employees, were seriously injured today when a jeep pick-up truck driven by McCabe collided with a car driven by Nelson R. Kirby, 5069 Raymond avenue, and overturned.

The collision occurred at Thirty-ninth street and Folsom avenue. Both men were taken to City Hospital, where McCabe was treated for head injuries and Weichold for head and internal injuries. Kirby declined medical attention.

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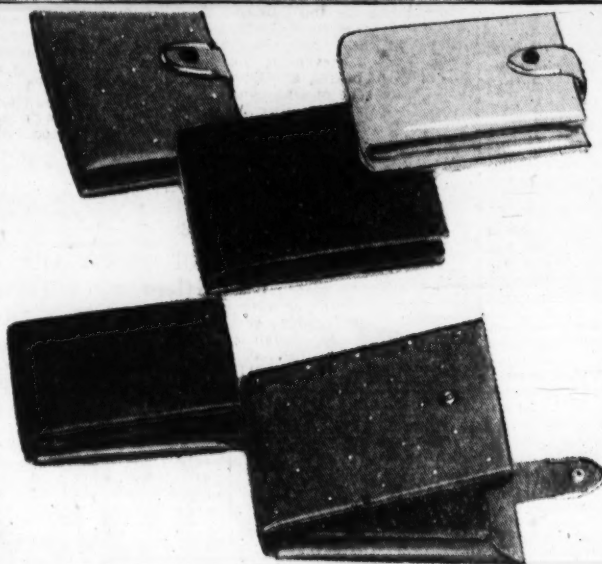
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## NEW BLUE CROSS SERVICE PLAN STIRS DISPUTE

Agreement With Blue Shield Both Praised and Criticized by Doctors.

The new comprehensive Blue Cross hospital service plan, which was both praised and criticized at the Missouri Hospital Association meeting here this week, was described by its administrator today as one that "renders the best service to the public."

Elmer F. Nester, executive director of Blue Cross, said a "very satisfactory working arrangement" was in effect between Blue Cross, sponsored by the hospital association, and Blue Shield, the Missouri Medical Association agency that offers insurance covering medical costs.

The Blue Cross-Blue Shield agreement setting up the comprehensive plan was attacked at Hotel Jefferson Wednesday by Dr. Hollis Allen of St. Louis, a pathologist, who told the hospital association that Blue Shield had been unduly subordinated in the joint agreement.

"An Open Wound," Dr. Allen, who is secretary of the newly-formed Joint Commission on Hospital-Physician Relations in the state, said failure to give Blue Shield equal status had left "an open wound that will certainly fester and fester at the next hot spell."

Background of the controversy touched on in Dr. Allen's talk concerned long-standing differences between hospitals and some physicians as to certain intra-hospital medical services, such as radiology, anesthesiology and laboratory work.

Under the comprehensive plan, announced Sept. 1, Blue Cross serves as administrative agency under a single unit contract. Hospitals are paid by Blue Cross for both hospital costs and intra-hospital medical services, and the hospitals pay the doctors.

Formerly, Blue Cross paid only for hospital services while Blue Shield took care of medical service in hospitals, paying either the hospital, the patient or the physician, depending on the method of billing. Two separate contracts were involved, and bookkeeping was more difficult than under the new plan.

Trustees of both Blue Cross and Blue Shield approved the comprehensive insurance plan, but Dr. Allen, in his talk Wednesday, said that Blue Shield had accepted a secondary role in order to avoid seeing the program wrecked.

Predicts Accord. Dr. Victor B. Buhler of Kansas City, president of the Missouri Medical Association, told the meeting of hospital administrators that he felt sure a "mutually satisfactory understanding" concerning radiologists, anesthesiologists and pathologists could be reached, without court action.

"These physicians," he said, "have become concerned lest their identities as doctors be submerged in the corporate identity of hospitals."

In Iowa recently, a circuit court ruled that hospitals could not legally place certain types of medical specialists on salary and bill patients for their services. Missouri hospitals have been billing patients for such services for years.

## NOVEMBER HOME BUILDING DECLINED MORE THAN USUAL

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16 (AP)—The Labor Department reported yesterday that non-farm home building construction declined a bit more than seasonally in November.

The Department's Bureau of Labor statistics said 90,000 units were placed under construction in the month. This was a drop of 16 per cent from October, but it was the second highest November construction rate since 1949.

The bureau said more than 1,250,000 dwelling units were started during the first 11 months of 1955, assuring that the total for the year will exceed 1,300,000 units. This would be exceeded only by the 1,396,000 units constructed in 1950.

The bureau said the decline in housing starts between October and November was distributed over all sections of the nation.

## 28-MILE STRETCH OF TOLL ROAD OPENED IN NEW YORK

TARRYTOWN, N. Y., Dec. 16 (AP)—The next to last stretch of the New York State Thruway was opened yesterday, including a \$60,000,000 bridge across the Hudson river.

Even before the Nyack-Tarrytown bridge was opened to traffic, it recorded its first automobile accident. Two automobiles in a 400-car procession skidded on ice and were damaged. There were no injuries.

The new 28-mile stretch between Suffern and Yonkers provides six-lane toll travel between the outskirts of New York City and Buffalo, a distance of 424 miles. A three-mile section between New York and Yonkers is due for completion next year.

Gov. Averell Harriman dedicated the new bridge in stinging cold weather.

Christmas Candy Stolen. COVINGTON, Ky., Dec. 16 (AP)—Someone stole \$100 worth of candy from the nearby Lantonia Baptist church yesterday. The candy was to be used at a Christmas party for children.

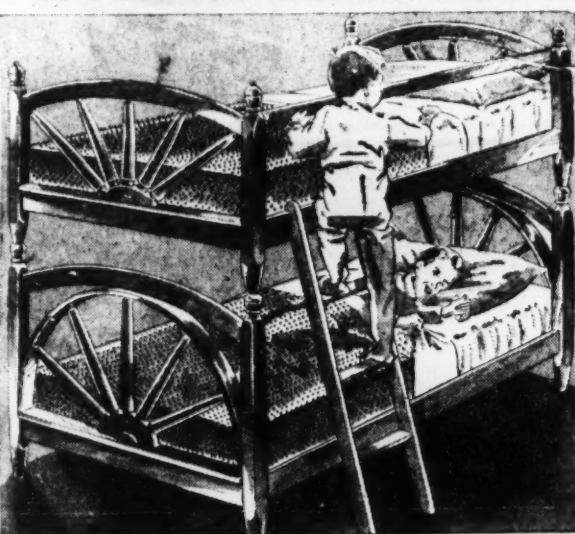


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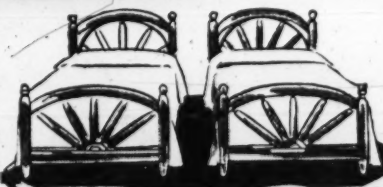
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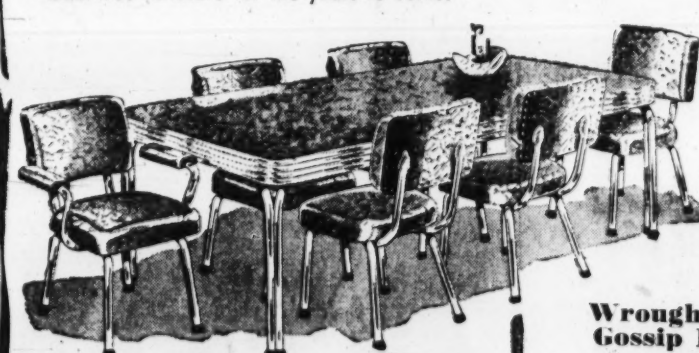
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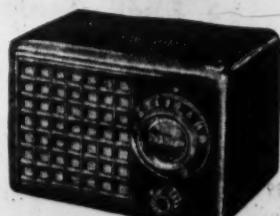
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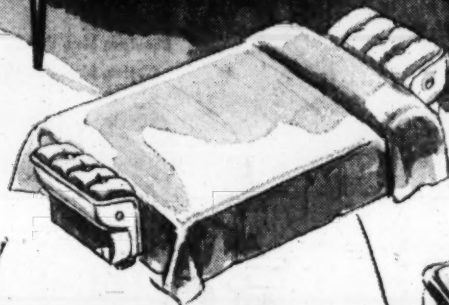


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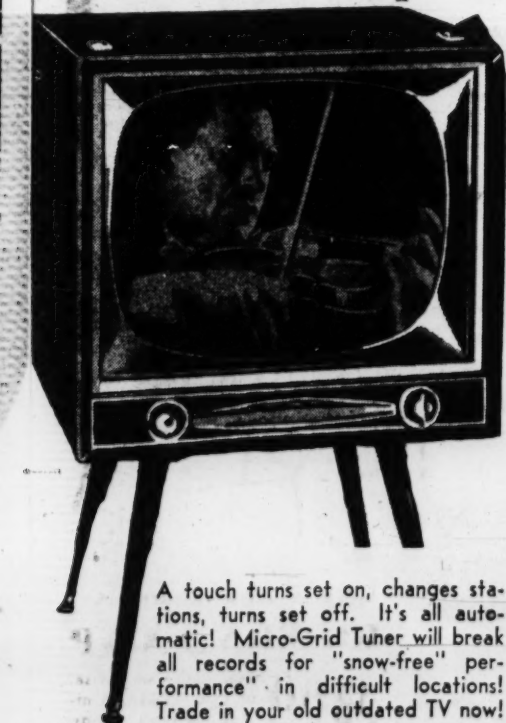
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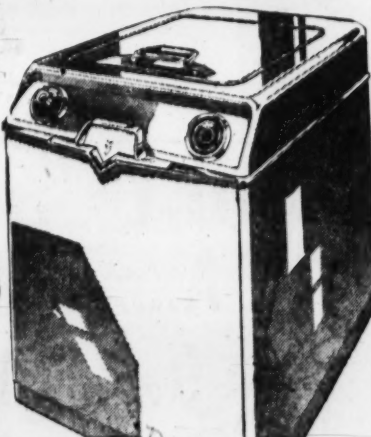
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**GAITSKELL SAYS WEST CAN 'BLOW OWN TRUMPETS'**

Labor Party Chief Calls for 'Vigorous Reply' to Soviet Propaganda Statements.

By GENE PATTERSON  
LONDON, Dec. 16 (UP)—Hugh Gaitskell, the new leader of the British Labor party and a potential prime minister, said today the West ought to counter Communism more vigorously and "blow our own trumpets a bit."

The right-wing Socialist who succeeded Clement Attlee as Labor party leader summed up two globally important beliefs of his political policy in an interview at his red brick home in Hampstead:

1. Now that the Geneva spirit has "evaporated" the West "ought to give a rather more vigorous and constructive reply" to such Communist preachments as the Khrushchev-Bulgarian speeches in India.

2. British relations with the United States must be kept "close and cordial."

**Soviet Bomb Offer.**

In addition, he said he believes it would be a "great pity" for the West to let the Russians get away with their offer to discuss barring hydrogen bomb tests "without taking it up."

"I certainly would like to see the British government taking the initiative," he said of Russia's statement that it is ready to discuss halting Soviet, American and British nuclear tests.

"There is a great deal of anxiety about the physical consequences of these explosions," he said.

"No doubt there are technical questions involved but I think it is a great pity to let the Russians get away with an offer of this kind without taking it up."

Gaitskell sat slouched in an easy chair in his neatly modest parlor beneath an oil painting of his daughters, Julia, 16 years old, and Cressida, 13. He wore a gray suit and red tie.

**Russian Intentions.**

What about Russia?

"Well, the Geneva spirit has certainly evaporated," Gaitskell said. "I think the Russians have more or less come to the conclusion that they'll have a stalemate in Europe."

"I don't think there is much sign of them giving away an inch on the question of Germany."

"And I think they are concentrating their attention now on the underdeveloped areas as one can see from this (Khrushchev-Bulgarian) tour of India and Burma."

"Personally," Gaitskell said, "I do feel that the West ought to give a rather more vigorous and constructive reply to some of the things that have been said."

"We certainly have nothing to be ashamed of so far as our record is concerned."

**Freezing of Colonies.**

"We, under Attlee, did give freedom and independence to something like 500,000,000 people in our colonies. I don't think the Russians have done anything like that."

"And I would like to add this, too. The United States has done infinitely more in the way of economic aid and assistance."

"I would like to see us making a bit more of that kind of thing in a sensible way, not an aggressive way, to help the underdeveloped areas."

"I think we've got to blow our own trumpets a bit."

**What about British-American relations?**

"I've always been a strong supporter of very close and cordial Anglo-American relations," he said. "Of course we each have our point of view and it is right that we should put it to each other."

He said he was proud of the efforts of former Prime Minister Clement Attlee to build up these relationships and said he was sorry to have been forced by his new duties to cancel a scheduled trip to the United States next month.

How has the family taken his sudden importance?

He coughed with discomfort and then said, "They are very sweet about it."

**Complete Theft.**

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 16 (UP)—Mrs. Roscoe Yoder, a grocer, told police that thieves took 49 of the 50 Christmas trees from her store Tuesday night and came back Wednesday night for the other one.

**Flashes of Life**

**Self Service.**

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP)—Mrs. Winnie Caroland doesn't figure her job as a waitress includes dishing out cash to hold-up men. So when a man entered the dinette grill—hand in pocket—and demanded the money in the cash register, she told him: "If you want the money, get it yourself."

He did, making off with \$25.

**Do It Yourself.**

COLUMBUS, O.—When 4-year-old Billy Hawkins thought his father was a little slow showing up with a promised Christmas tree the other day, Billy took a small saw from his tool kit and cut down a young cedar tree in the backyard. His mother—perhaps remembering the tale of George Washington and the cherry tree—baked Billy a cake.

**Frank, Anyway.**

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**NATO MINISTERS AGREE ON CLOSER POLITICAL TIES**  
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ting up a self-help "Marshall plan" that would bolster their economies.

**Greek Sees Dulles.**  
Greek Foreign Minister Spyros Theotokis saw Dulles before today's meeting and asked him to help ease the tension between NATO members Greece and Turkey.

Informed sources said after the meeting that Theotokis also expressed a strong desire to see a settlement of the Cyprus issue.

Backed by Greece, the Cypriots are pressing for independence from Britain and union with Greece.

The sources said that Theotokis told Dulles that Greece wants damages from Turkey for the 2000 shops and 60 churches pillaged and burned during anti-Greek riots in Izmir, Turkey, earlier this year.

**Turks Oppose Union.**  
Turkey is opposed to a union of Greece and Cyprus and insists that the British keep control.

American Consul Raymond Courtney recently held secret talks with Archbishop Makarios, leader of the Cypriot nationalists. This led to speculation that the United States might be intervening to seek a compromise settlement.

The Greek foreign minister told Dulles that the United States might be able to play a considerable role in getting the Balkan pact countries back together again, the sources said.

They said the three foreign ministers might even be able to hold their postponed meeting soon in Belgrade, neutral ground for both Greece and Turkey.

British Foreign Secretary Harold Macmillan conferred with Theotokis and Nuri Birgi, secretary general of the Turkish foreign ministry, here two days ago.

**Trade With Red China.**  
By the Associated Press  
Secretary Dulles was reported to have appealed to Macmillan in an effort to halt a British move to relax Allied trade restrictions on Red China.

The British reportedly advised the Americans they might be compelled to ease the restrictions soon because of strong political and business pressures at home.

Such action would mean the loss of an important bargaining counter in current discussions between United States and Red Chinese representatives in Geneva.

Informed diplomats said Dulles asked Macmillan to take no quick action before the whole tangled question can be discussed at the highest level—presumably by President Eisenhower and Prime Minister Eden when they meet next month in Washington.

Dulles was understood to have sent Macmillan a letter on the subject from Washington, then followed up during talks the two have had here.

**Statement on Goa.**  
Unconfirmed reports said Portuguese foreign minister Paulo de Cunha may ask the NATO council to endorse a statement describing Goa (Portuguese India) as an overseas province of Portugal.

A joint statement issued recently in Washington by De Cunha and Dulles angered India. The New Delhi government contends Goa is a foreign-ruled colony and has demanded that the Portuguese leave.

Cunha hinted to newsmen that in the event of an attack on Goa by India or on Macao by Red China, he would invoke Article 4 of the NATO treaty, which authorizes member states to start consultations in case of an attack on their territories anywhere in the world. This article, however, does not obligate other members to give military assistance. Cunha said Portugal did not consider Goa as part of the North Atlantic area, where the automatic obligation of mutual military aid would come into play.

He expressed the hope that Spain, now admitted to membership in the United Nations along with Portugal, might soon join NATO.

The ministers yesterday quickly approved plans for the joint defense buildup in 1956 and the tentative goals for 1957 and 1958. For the first time these schedules, which are secret, covered a West German contribution.

A review of 1955 estimated all member countries of NATO will have spent a total of \$32,914,000,000 for defense in the year now closing. This was a reduction of about two billion dollars from 1954. Ministers agreed that, for internal political reasons, there could be no increase in defense spending now.

**GETS 30 DAYS, FINED \$100 FOR DRIVING WHEN DRUNK**

George O. Parker, a laborer, was sentenced to 30 days in City Workhouse and fined \$100 when he was found guilty of driving when intoxicated by Police Judge Morris Rosenthal today. Parker's driver's license was suspended for 90 days. He had been fined for drunken driving once before.

Police testified Parker, a Negro, was arrested Oct. 29 following a collision in the 4600 block of Delmar boulevard and that he was intoxicated when arrested.

Parker, who lives in the 3300 block of Lawton boulevard, admitted he had been drinking but denied he was drunk. He said he was fined \$100 in May 1953 for driving when intoxicated.

**Schweitzer Back to Africa.**  
BORDEAUX, France, Dec. 16 (AP)—Dr. Albert Schweitzer, 80-year-old medical missionary and Nobel peace prize winner, embarked today for Africa to return to his jungle hospital. He was in apparent good health after a four-month European visit.

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microscope capable of measuring parts of an atom "with an accuracy of four-thousandths of a trillionth of an inch" was introduced yesterday by the Air Force.

Air research and development command headquarters here said the instrument, with an "eyepiece" weighing 55 tons, had been developed by Stanford

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The ARDS said Prof. Robert Hofstadter, director of the nuclear research program at Stanford, had spent three years designing and building the spectrometer, or wave-length measuring apparatus, of the microscope.

# MATT CONNELLY TO BE IN COURT HERE ON MONDAY

**He Waives Hearing—Attorney Labels Indictment 'Political Prosecution.'**

By a Special Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 16—Matthew J. Connelly, former appointments secretary to President Truman, is to appear in United States District Court in St. Louis Monday for arraignment, after waiving a removal hearing here yesterday on the charge of conspiracy to defraud the Government.

Connelly was freed on \$5000 bond for his appearance before United States District Judge Ruben M. Hulen in St. Louis to answer to the indictment.

His attorney, Francis F. W. Adams, former New York police commissioner, termed the amount of bail "shocking" and called the indictment "political prosecution."

Attorney's Contention. Adams said the hearing was waived because "Mr. Connelly felt it desirable to meet the issues squarely in St. Louis, with an opportunity to expose all the implications, the likes of which have not been seen in this country for generations."

Although there are "very substantial questions that must be raised on the face of the indictment," the proper place to do so was St. Louis and not here, the attorney stated.

"I want to make it plain that Mr. Connelly's view and I concur with some reluctance—in that because of the character of the prosecution, it would be desirable to meet the issues as promptly as possible in St. Louis, with the end in view to expose, in all its complications, what he believes more and more apparently is political prosecution," Adams said.

Assistant United States Attorney Paul Williams replied: "This is definitely not a political maneuver." On the subject of bail, Williams declared that Connelly "is charged in a case involving tax fixing on the White House level" and should be treated like anyone else.

Feters to Judge Moore. Willys Newcomb, New York attorney asked by the Attorney General to head a Justice Department team investigating the tax scandals, said the person who set Connelly's bail "is himself one of the leading Democrats in the State of Missouri."

His reference was to United States District Judge George H. Moore of St. Louis, who set the amount of bail for Connelly and his two co-defendants, Theron Lamar Caudle and Harry I. Schwimmer, when the indictments were returned there Dec. 1.

Newcomb, who did not mention Judge Moore by name, said: "He is familiar with this situation. The bail is very low in view of the nature of the offense."

United States Commissioner Earle N. Bishopp said he had no choice but to follow Judge Moore's instructions on the amount of bail.

Adams said the issue was not whether Connelly could provide \$5000 bond, but whether "the Government of the United States is going to stoop to inflict that kind of indignity where it is wholly unnecessary."

He likewise did not mention Judge Moore by name, but, referring to the fixing of bail, said "the suggestion which emanates from the other district (St. Louis) is a disgraceful thing."

"Touched by Defense." Adams added: "I'm touched by the defense of the politics of the judge. What I'm concerned about is the politics of Mr. Newcomb and the men in the Justice Department who brought this indictment."

The Government had on hand two witnesses—both from St. Louis—to identify Connelly as the person named in the indictment. The witnesses were a special agent from the Internal Revenue Service Intelligence unit and a member of the grand jury which voted the indictment.

When Connelly surrendered on the indictment Dec. 9, his attorney said the defense would make no concessions at the removal hearing but would even require the Government to prove Connelly's identity.

However, Adams announced at the start of yesterday's proceedings that Connelly's identity was conceded, making it unnecessary to use the St. Louis witnesses.

Earlier Trial Planned. Government attorneys have announced they will seek an early trial for Connelly; Schwimmer, a Kansas City attorney, and Caudle, former head of the Justice Department's tax division.

The indictment charged that Connelly, now a consultant on business and government contracts, was paid \$1650 in January 1952 by Schwimmer, who was attempting to stop prosecution of a St. Louis client in an income tax case. The client was Irving Sachs, head of Shu-Stiles, Inc., named as a co-conspirator in the indictment but not charged.

Schwimmer, who had been indicted earlier on a perjury charge in connection with the grand jury investigation of tax matters in the Truman Administration, surrendered Wednesday on the conspiracy charge. He was arraigned before a United States commissioner and continued on the \$30,000 bond fixed in the perjury case.

Higher bond had been asked for Schwimmer, who now operates a rubber company in Puerto Rico, on the ground that "many persons" have strong motives against his appearance in court.

Caudle, whose actions in the

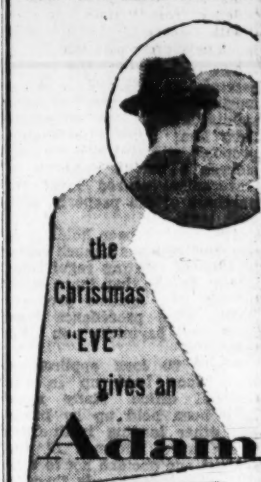
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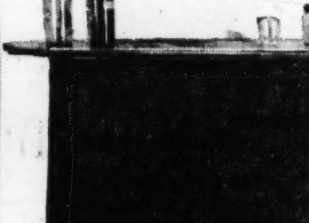
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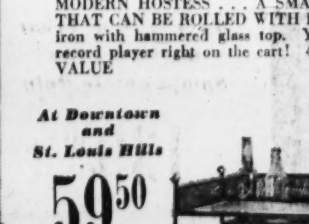
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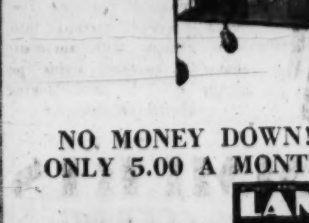
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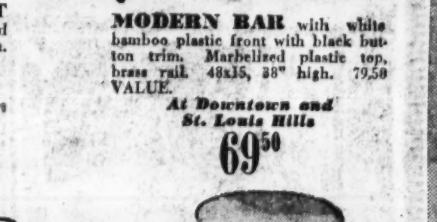
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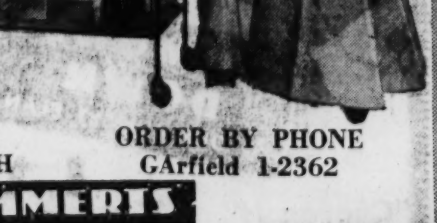
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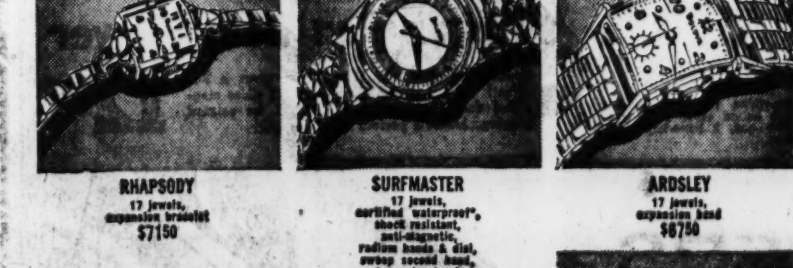
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An order from Washington has been received by Veterans Administration officials here which will permit them to approve a large number of stalled applications for G.I. loans to prospective home-buyers in St. Louis county. It was announced today. The applications have been held up since Nov. 1.

The order states that special assessments provided for in the trusteeship agreements of some subdivisions, which constitute first liens or claims against property, will no longer be considered a bar to approval of Government-insured loans for purchase of the property, officials said.

The VA has been holding up approval of loans in such cases, because of existing regulations which specify that there must be no lien against property which takes precedence over mortgage payments on VA loans.

About 60 loan applications have been held up in the regional office. Many more have been held up by banks and other leading institutions which were informed of the conflict and decided not to submit applications made through them until the matter was cleared up.

A VA spokesman said that no action to approve pending loans would be taken until an official text of the new order was received. News of the order was transmitted by telephone yesterday from Washington to officials here.

Applicants in all parts of the country have been affected by the Nov. 1 "hold" order. In St. Louis county, loan requests for homes in Glasgow Village and several other subdivisions have been held up, a VA spokesman has said. The special assessments provided for in trusteeship agreements are for such purposes as sewer and street improvements.

## \$36,512 SURPLUS REFUNDED FROM HANNIBAL PLANT DRIVE

HANNIBAL, Mo. (AP)—More than 1000 Hannibal citizens and business firms Thursday received, as a sort of Christmas gift for civic spirit, checks totaling \$36,512.

A campaign was started last May to raise \$40,000 to purchase land for plants so that the Western Printing & Lithographing Co. of Racine, Wis., would move its headquarters here. The goal was exceeded, with subscriptions totaling \$73,024, and the Hannibal Chamber of Commerce yesterday mailed out 1100 refund checks. The refunds were on a pro rata basis.

The lithographing company and the American Yearbook Co., formerly of Owatonna, Minn., began operations last September in a new building on the site purchased with the money.

## JAPANESE HOUSE REJECTS MOVE TO UNSEAT PREMIER

TOKYO, Dec. 16 (UP)—The House of Representatives today rejected a Socialist no-confidence motion against Foreign Minister Mamoru Shigemitsu which blamed his pro-Western policies for Japan's failure to gain admittance to the United Nations.

The Soviet Union employed three vetoes at the current U.N. session to block Japan from a seat in the world organization.

The motion was defeated 259 to 135, with 70 absent or abstaining. If it had carried, Shigemitsu would have been forced to resign from the cabinet of Premier Hatoyama.

Former Socialist Prime Minister Tetsu Katayama, just returned from meetings with Chinese Communist leaders in Peking, led the attack on the government's foreign policies.

Shigemitsu did not reply in the Diet but earlier told a committee that failure to gain a U.N. seat "is no reason to lessen our trust in the United States or change our policies."

## Brothers Die Same Day.

DETROIT, Dec. 16 (AP)—Arthur P. Schwenter, 69 years old, and his brother, Nicholas,

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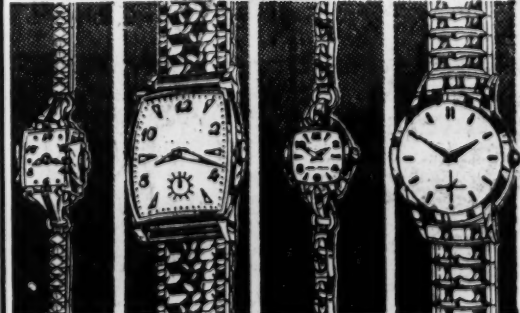


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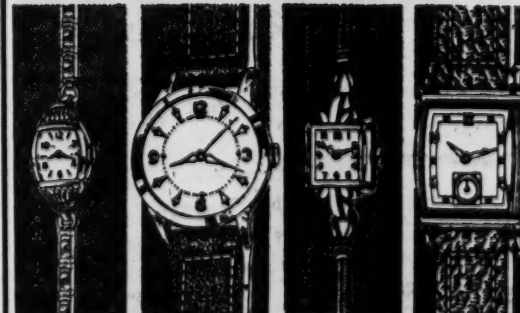
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## IMPROVEMENTS FOR HYDE PARK WIN APPLAUSE

Community Council In-  
dorses City's Plans as  
Part of Rehabilita-  
tion of Area.

The city's plans for improve-  
ment of Hyde Park were sub-  
mitted to residents of the neigh-  
borhood last night and won en-  
thusiastic approval. The Hyde  
Park Area Community Council,  
meeting in North Side Turner  
Hall, adopted a resolution of in-  
dorsement.

Improvements will include  
new walkways, a playground  
for small children, a recreation  
area for adults, a new recreation  
building where people can  
play cards indoors, landscaping  
and restoration of a lake. The  
park's old lake was filled in  
some time ago; the announce-  
ment that it will be recreated,  
giving children a place to sail  
boats, evoked applause.

The park improvements are  
part of an over-all program for  
rehabilitation of the Hyde Park  
district, 34 blocks bounded by  
Eleventh street, Bremen, North  
Florissant and East Grand ave-  
nues. Next on the program is  
a study of street changes to di-  
vert heavy traffic from schools  
and residential sections.

A 'Pilot Project'  
The Hyde Park neighborhood  
was selected by the city for a  
'pilot project' in housing re-  
habilitation which got under  
way in 1954. While the city  
makes public improvements in  
the district, property owners are  
being called on to check blight  
by making improvements of  
their own.

Inspectors making a house-to-  
house check by Nov. 1 had  
listed 3404 violations of the  
minimum housing standards  
ordinance, but 1853 of these  
already have been corrected.  
Repairs have been made on  
weakened stairs and railings,  
rotted porches, leaking roofs  
and leaning chimneys. Inade-  
quate plumbing is being cor-  
rected and unsafe plastering is  
being replaced.

Cherokee Program.  
A similar program is under  
way in the 28-block Cherokee  
district in south St. Louis.  
There 1034 of 2087 violations  
have been corrected. The Cher-  
okee Community Council last  
week approved the city's plan  
for Benton Park, which call for  
a new recreation building, re-  
habilitation of the lake, addi-  
tional lighting and recreational  
facilities for varying age groups.

A bill to appropriate \$165,000  
for park and playground im-  
provements in the Hyde Park  
and Cherokee districts is pend-  
ing in the Board of Aldermen.

The Hyde Park improvements  
were described last night by  
Mrs. E. G. Brungard, director  
of public welfare, and Tom  
Purcell, her administrative as-  
sistant.

Lawrence Farrell was elected  
president of the Hyde Park  
Community Council and Law-  
rence Fecker was named vice  
president. Mrs. Eugene McCabe,  
secretary, and William Eichen-  
berger, treasurer, were re-elected.

## U.S. DENIES CHARGE IT STILL DETAINS CHINESE STUDENTS

GENEVA, Dec. 16 (AP)—The  
United States has denied a Red  
Chinese charge that 33 Chinese  
students are still detained  
against their will in America.

The charge was made in a  
statement by the Chinese Com-  
munists which was distributed  
here. United States Ambassa-  
dor U. Alexis Johnson and Red  
Chinese envoy Wang Ping-nan  
have been negotiating since  
Aug. 1 on repatriations and other  
points in dispute between  
Washington and Peking.

The two envoys agreed Sept.  
9 that their countries would co-  
operate in returning home their  
respective nationals who wanted  
to go back. About 20 Ameri-  
cans have been released from  
Red China since that time, but  
14 others are still in Communist  
prisons.

The latest Communist state-  
ment said 33 of 103 Chinese  
students who asked "long ago"  
for permission to return to their  
country are being detained in  
the United States.  
Johnson declared Red China's  
assertion it has fully complied  
with the Sept. 9 agreement and  
the charge the United States  
has not done so are "completely  
contrary to fact."

## INDONESIANS ELECTING WRITERS OF CONSTITUTION

JAKARTA, Dec. 16 (AP)—  
Upward of 30,000,000 Indo-  
nesians voted yesterday to elect  
520 writers of this young re-  
public's constitution.

The elections were a repeti-  
tion of September's marathon  
parliamentary election which  
ended Nov. 30, with most of  
the ballots still uncoun-  
ted.

The constitutional assembly  
is not expected to be formed  
before next summer and will  
probably take at least two years  
to complete its task.

## PRAYER BREAK FOR PACKERS

WAVERLY, Fla., Dec. 16 (AP)—  
The coffee break was partly  
given way to a prayer break  
at the Waverly Growers Co-  
operative packing house here.

The Rev. William Wilson, pas-  
tor of the Waverly Baptist  
Church, and his congregation  
started the idea last spring. On  
two Tuesdays of each month  
the minister conducts devo-  
tional services at coffee break  
time. Formerly there was a  
10-minute break time but pack-  
ing firm lengthened it to 20  
minutes for the religious service.  
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program audible to 100 persons.

## CHRISTMAS TRICYCLE WAITS FOR BOY WHO DISAPPEARED

EAST MEADOW, N.Y., Dec.  
16 (AP)—A shiny tricycle is  
waiting for little Stevie Dam-  
man for Christmas—although  
he may never see it.  
It was Stevie's third birthday  
yesterday—if he is still alive.  
His parents, Air Force Sgt.  
Jerry and Marilyn Damman, are

celebrating their fourth, but not  
the happiest, wedding anniver-  
sary today.  
Stevie disappeared from in-  
front of a supermarket here  
Oct. 31. A widespread search  
was unproductive. But his  
parents have not lost hope.  
In addition to Christmas  
presents for their daughter,  
Pamela, 7 months, they bought  
a new tricycle for Stevie, just  
in case.

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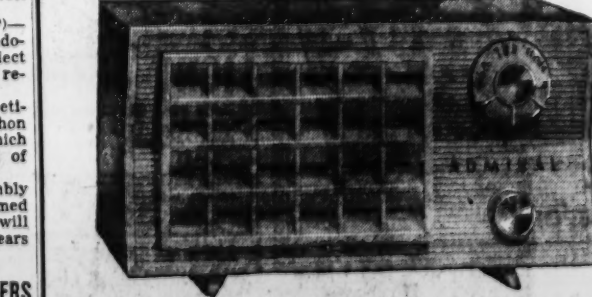
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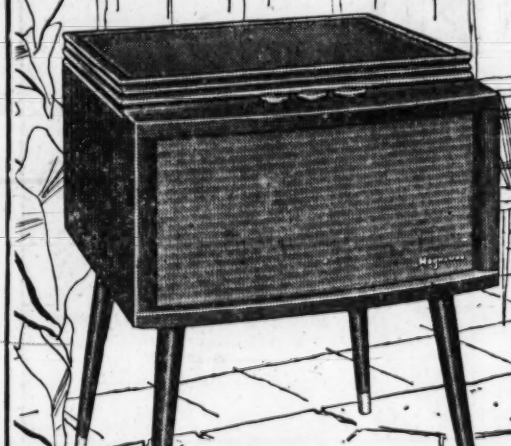
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## Senator Seeks to Get More Data On Peaceful Atom Use to Public

Anderson Announces Program of Joint  
Congressional Committee to Bring  
Information 'Out Into Open.'

By FRANK CAREY  
CLEVELAND, Dec. 16 (AP)—  
Senator Anderson (Dem.), New  
Mexico, chairman of the Joint  
Congressional Atomic Commit-  
tee, last night announced broad

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plans to get more information  
on present and potential peace-  
time uses of nuclear energy  
"out into the open."

He did so in a speech in which  
he also hit hard at "clearance"  
requirements of the Atomic  
Energy Commission controlling  
access to confidential or secret  
information of potential value  
in peacetime applications.

"It is easier for a camel to  
pass through the eye of a needle  
than it is for a business man  
to receive frank and complete  
and unfettered answers from  
the Atomic Energy Commission,"  
he declared in a speech before  
the Nuclear Science and  
Engineering Congress.

At a press conference before  
his speech, Anderson said that  
last March, he took some of the  
members of the committee on  
a tour of the AEC's atomic  
laboratory at Los Alamos, N.M.

But, he said, "I was not al-  
lowed" to take them through  
one area where, he found out  
later, research on the controlled  
fusion, or H-bomb reaction, was  
going on.

"The atomic energy law says  
that the commission shall keep  
the joint committee informed  
of all developments," he said,  
"but they thought that this was  
so secret a project that the  
joint committee should not be  
told about it."

**Outlines Program.**  
He said his committee hoped  
—with the aid of public hear-  
ings—to do the following dur-  
ing the early part of the next  
session of Congress:

1. Appraise the present and  
future impact of peaceful atomic  
applications "on the Ameri-  
can way of life, economy, in-  
dustry and natural resources,  
including the effect on employ-  
ment." One aid, he said, would  
be a report by a special "citiz-  
ens' panel," including promi-  
nent experts in various fields,  
which was appointed by the  
joint committee to make a sur-  
vey.

2. Consider the impact of the  
atom on economies and indus-  
tries abroad "as it will affect  
our economy and industry here  
at home."

3. Study "the activities" of  
the AEC "in its roles of devel-  
oping and regulating the peace-  
ful uses of atomic energy."

**Time to Consider.**  
Anderson added:  
"After we have examined  
these three subjects—first by  
studying the panel report; and,  
second by the public hearings  
which will follow—we on the  
joint committee will have time  
to stop and consider."

"Then, we hope, we can come  
up with recommendations to  
the Congress for any needed  
revisions of our program for  
the development of peaceful  
uses of atomic energy, by both  
government and private enter-  
prise."

"In a nutshell, the job of the  
joint committee is to learn all  
we can about how the peaceful  
atom is going to affect you and  
the other American people—  
your business lives and your

home lives. Our job is to avoid  
impact as much as possible, and  
to speed benefits."

**Time to Drop Secrecy.**  
Declaring "the time is here  
for the curtain of secrecy to  
come down" on more informa-  
tion that could be useful in  
peacetime applications, Ander-  
son said that for one thing, the  
AEC should completely open  
up with what it's doing about  
trying to harness H-bomb  
energy—so that the quest to  
solve the riddle could be broad-  
ened.

Criticizing the AEC's "access

permit program" for controlling  
access to confidential informa-  
tion, Anderson said:

"To me, this program can  
prove to be a stumbling block  
placed in the way of American  
industry—one more form to  
fill out, one more additional  
delay before a business man  
can determine whether or not  
he wants to go into atomic  
energy."

Anderson also said that the  
Government's lack of "a defi-  
nite policy on sale of atomic  
reactors abroad" makes it tough  
for American industry to meet

competition of other countries  
for foreign markets.

For example, he said, for an  
American to sell a reactor  
abroad, he would "have to sell  
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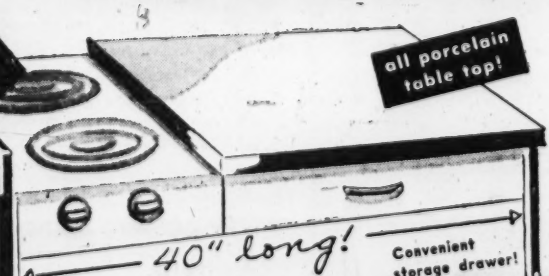
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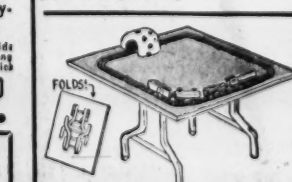
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# FIRST TO OFFER TO TESTIFY IF GIVEN IMMUNITY

Chicago Official Accused as Ex-Red Makes Proposal — Committee in Recess.

CHICAGO, Dec. 16 (AP)—For the first time in history a witness before the House un-American Activities Committee has agreed to testify if granted immunity from prosecution.

Congress passed legislation in 1954 providing that courts could give immunity to witnesses before congressional committees. The idea was to encourage witnesses who in the past had pleaded the Fifth Amendment in declining to testify.

Until yesterday, however, no one has consented to testify after an offer of immunity.

Ellis G. Olin, 44 years old, an official of the Chicago Land Clearance Commission who was named by a previous witness as a former Communist in the U.S. Government, said he was willing to testify if such immunity were granted.

The committee adjourned to March 5 and said steps would be taken in the meantime to obtain Olin's immunity. The full committee must consent by majority vote before committee aids can ask a United States district court to grant the immunity.

**Professor Suspended.**  
In another development as the House committee wound up three days of hearings in Chicago, the Illinois Institute of Technology suspended a professor who refused to testify about Red ties.

Prof. Gerald J. Matchett, 43, an economist, and his wife, Margaret Ellen, testified on Wednesday that they were not Communists now, but declined to answer questions on whether they had any past connections with the Communist party, contending under the Fifth Amendment that the answers might tend to incriminate them.

Dr. John T. Rettallata, president of the institute, said he had written Matchett that he is suspended "pending a review by the appropriate institute bodies because of your refusal to answer questions" put by the committee.

"Such actions put a heavy burden of proof on the teacher to prove his fitness to teach and a heavy burden on the institute to review his fitness to teach," Rettallata said.

Both Matchett and Olin were named by Prof. Herbert Fuchs, suspended law professor at American University in Washington, D.C., as Communists employed by the federal government before and in World War II.

**Invoked Fifth Amendment.**  
Olin, a former stenographer for the Interstate Commerce Commission and the United States Public Housing Authority, was the last witness before the adjournment yesterday. He, too, invoked the Fifth Amendment in declining to answer questions, saying he might incriminate himself.

## TASTE OF WATER IN COUNTY LAID TO LOW RIVER STAGE

Low water in the Missouri River has affected the taste of water in St. Louis county for the last three days, the State Department of Public Health and Welfare said today in a letter to W. Victor Weir, president of St. Louis County Water Co. State health officials said the United States Army Engineers have released more water from dams on the upper Missouri to raise the stage and cause the river to flow faster. Complaints about bad-tasting water have been received from cities all along the river in Missouri, the letter said.

The water in the county should begin tasting better today, but it will be several days before affected water is out of all of the mains, H. O. Hartung, County Water Co. production superintendent, said. Taste of St. Louis water may also be affected, it was reported.

## FRENCH ARREST 52 ALGERIAN REBEL SUSPECTS, KILL TWO

ALGIERS, Dec. 16 (UP)—French security forces have rounded up 52 suspected terrorists in 24 hours and killed two others, a spokesman announced today.

French troops and police swept down on villages in the north of the Constantine department and captured a large quantity of arms and ammunition.

Meanwhile, the rebels attacked two farms and put them to the torch, killing two Algerian workers.

## REPRESENTATION IS URGED FOR MALTA IN COMMONS

LONDON, Dec. 16 (AP)—A bi-partisan parliamentary committee recommended today that Malta should be represented in the British House of Commons.

The committee, composed of representatives of all political parties in Commons, published a report which said:

"The people of Malta are entitled to a special road to political equality and that road should be, if they so choose, representation at Westminster."

The idea of giving the Mediterranean island status as a British dominion was rejected.

Prince Aly Khan Operated On.

PARIS, Dec. 16 (UP)—Prince Aly Khan underwent surgery yesterday at the American Hospital in suburban Neuilly, informed sources said. The hospital refused to discuss the reported operation. A spokesman said that Aly was "doing well."

## CHURCHILL SAYS REDS HAVE LOST BATTLE FOR MINDS

LONDON, Dec. 16 (UP)—Sir Winston Churchill said today that Communism has already lost the battle for men's minds. Britain's former prime minister declared Communist power was kept alive only by strong governments which prevent their subjects from freedom of thought.

"The movement towards Communism . . . has already ceased to make progress in the minds of men," he told an audience honoring him here. "It is only sustained by strong governmental systems in countries

where expressions of human thought are not allowed."

The 81-year-old Churchill made this passing reference in accepting the freedoms of Belfast and Londonderry in Northern Ireland.

He said he "cherished the hope" that the Irish Free State and Northern Ireland will be "united within the British Empire." He said he hoped that "some day all Ireland will be loyal because it is free."

**Japanese Tire Exports.**  
TOKYO, Dec. 16 (AP)—Japanese contracts signed in November to export automobile tires reached a postwar record of more than \$1,000,000, the Japan Rubber Industry Association said today. The Philippines took \$188,000 worth. Hong Kong, Thailand and Iran were next in that order.

## SPURNED YOUTH WHO KILLED THREE DIES OF WOUNDS

VANDERGRIFT, Pa., Dec. 16 (AP)—A love-crazed high school junior who killed the parents and an uncle of the 15-year-old girl who spurned him, died last night six hours after he was shot down in a gunfight with a posse that hunted him for 16 hours.

He wounded two other persons, the girl and a man in the posse, before he was killed.

John Fallone died at Armistead hospital.

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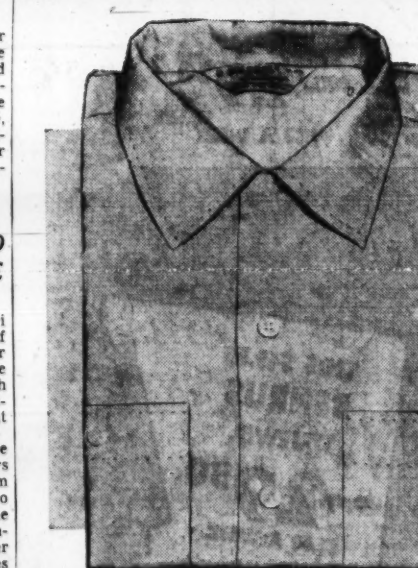
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DOLLARS AND NONSENSE

LONG BEACH, Calif. (AP)—Dean Ives had a birthday and received a package from his son, Doug, a university student. Opening the box, Dean found a set of inexpensive cuff links and matching tie clasp. And this note: "Dear Dad. This isn't much. But it's all you can afford."

Rotary Chief Visits Emperor. TOKYO, Dec. 16 (AP)—The Emperor and Empress granted an audience to President A. Z. Baker of Rotary International and Mrs. Baker today at the Imperial palace.

**BENSON EXPECTS  
PRICE DROP TO  
END NEXT YEAR**

Small Decline Predicted  
for 1956—Says Com-  
modity Income Will  
Improve.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15 (AP)—Secretary of Agriculture Ezra Taft Benson predicted today that the five-year decline in farm prices—now a controversial political issue—will come to an end next year under influence of a broadened Administration farm program. He said he believes that farm prices as a whole will not dip below the present level—which is 81 per cent of the parity price goal of federal farm-aid programs. Prices for the first 11 months of this year averaged 85 per cent of parity.

Parity is a standard, set out in farm laws, for measuring farm prices in relation to prices farmers must pay for things. In a year-end statement, Benson said he expected "some improvement" in prices for a number of farm commodities. He did not list them.

Further Decline. Questioned, the Secretary said he agreed, however, with a recent department economic forecast that farm income in 1956 probably will be "a little" below this year. Farm income this year has been running about 10 per cent below last year.

The marketing service of the Department of Agriculture put out a report today repeating the prediction that farm income will decline somewhat next year.

"The 1956 outlook," it said, "is for some further decline in gross farm income, reflecting further acreage restrictions in some crops and slightly lower average prices for the year as a whole." "Production expenses will remain high in 1956, although farmers may be able to reduce the total a little because of lower feed prices. Net income will probably show some decline in 1956."

In another farm development, Benson wrote Senator Bourke Hickenlooper (Rep., Iowa, turning down a suggestion that incentive payments be made to farmers who sell female pigs in the next few weeks. Hickenlooper had made the suggestion as a means of halting the decline in hog prices by reducing the pig crop.

But Benson said he felt the plan had disadvantages which outweighed its advantages. He predicted "a substantial improvement" in the hog situation.

In his remarks about 1956, Benson expressed confidence that the dip in the agricultural economy has about struck bottom.

Abnormal Conditions. "A further rise in national income is expected by Department of Agriculture and other economists," he said, "in recent years farmers' income has not been following the national trend but I believe this abnormal condition has about run its course."

He went on to say that conditions in agriculture must improve if the national economy is to remain healthy.

He repeated previous promises that the Administration would seek legislative adjustment in present farm programs "in order that we may make more vigorous effort to dispose of surpluses and remove market gluts which depress prices."

Some Democratic critics contend that the Administration's programs and policies are inadequate to restore farm prosperity.

The Republican farm chief said the Administration will "move forward in soil conservation and in expansion of rural development programs, for the benefit of low income farm families."

"Research programs emphasizing lower costs of production, new uses for present commodities and expansion of markets will be stepped up," he added.

Flexible price supports, tried on a limited scale in 1955, will be given wider use as an instrument to bring supply into balance with domestic and export demands for food and fiber.

"Results of realistic pricing in dairying were most encouraging and relative stability achieved by that industry indicates that stability elsewhere in our farm economy can be achieved along the same sound lines."

Farm Bureau Group for Flexible Supports, Soil Bank. CHICAGO, Dec. 16 (AP)—The American Farm Bureau Federation is on record in favor of flexible Government price supports and a proposal for a soil bank.

The soil bank proposal won approval without opposition at the group's final session of its annual convention yesterday. But southern cotton growers were against the approval of flexible price supports.

The cotton growers sought yesterday to get delegates to the federation's thirty-seventh annual meeting to back rigid 80 per cent of parity supports.

H. L. Wingate, president of the Georgia Farm Bureau, led the fight against flexible supports. He said he was backed by delegates from South Carolina, North Carolina, Arkansas, Oklahoma, Tennessee, Kentucky, Texas and Florida.

The southern bloc tried four times to get delegates to exempt cotton from their recommendation for flexible supports. The bloc also represented growers of peanuts and tobacco.

Under the present flexible system, Wingate said, price supports on cotton may drop to 75 per cent of parity next year. This, he said, would force farmers to sell below actual costs.

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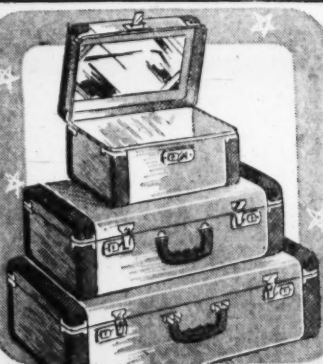
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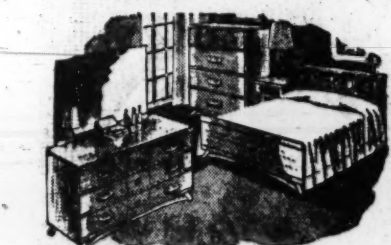
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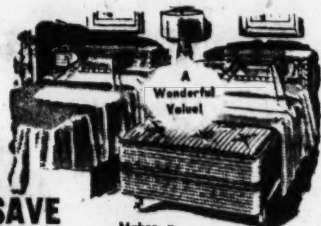
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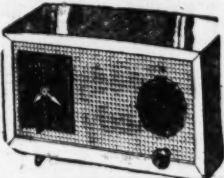
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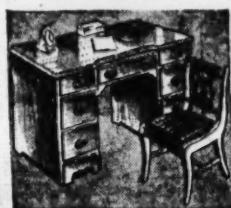
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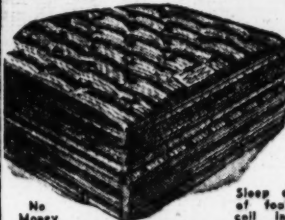
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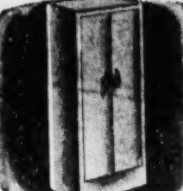
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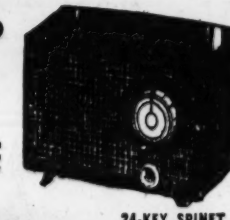


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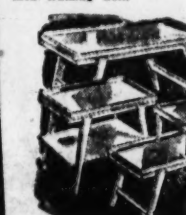
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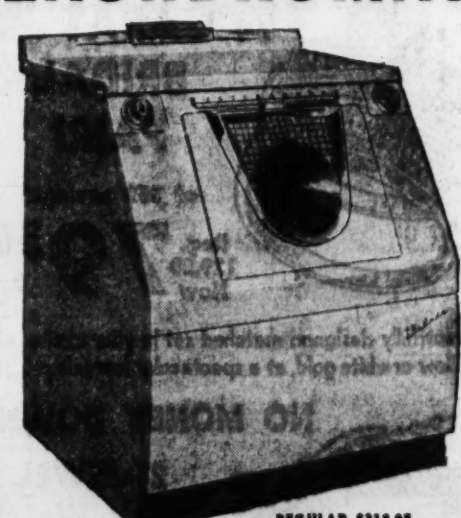
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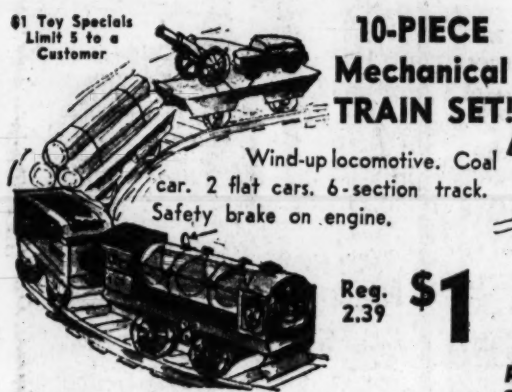
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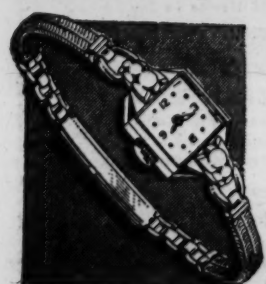


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Fine quality washable  
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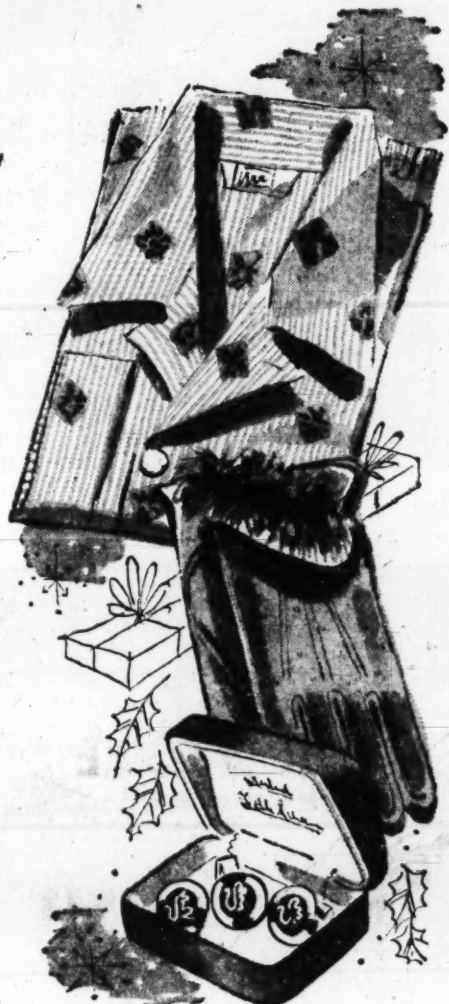
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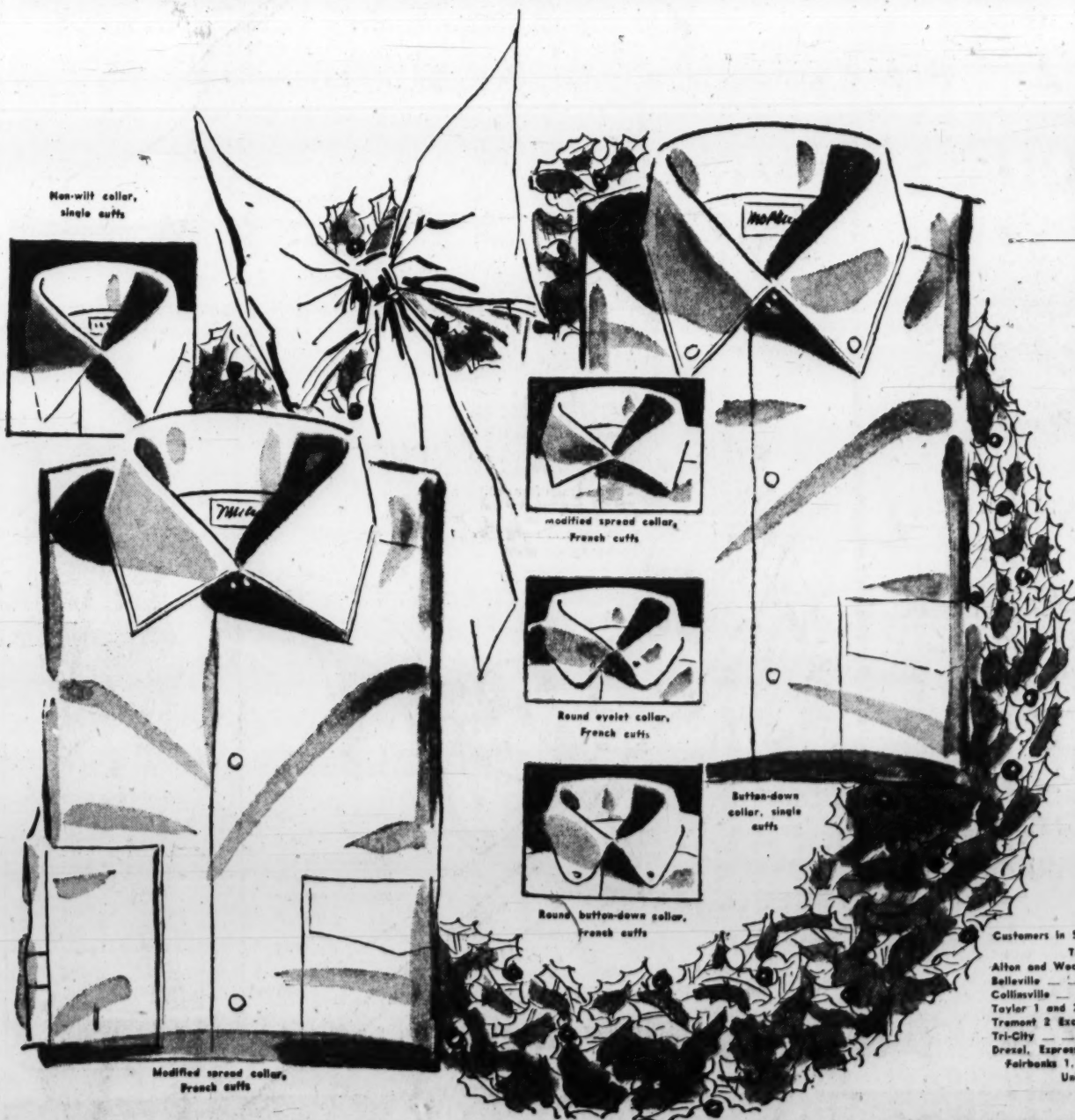
- Button-down collar, single cuffs, in blue, mint, grey, tan, pink and white, 14-16 1/2, 32-35
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## COUNTY GROUP RENEWS BID FOR REASSESSMENT

League of Municipalities Wants Realty Check—Names Special Committee.

The St. Louis County League of Municipalities voted last night to re-emphasize its desire for a parcel-by-parcel reassessment of all real estate in the county, and set up a special committee to work for it.

Sterling P. Davidson Jr., president, appointed himself and the following to serve on the committee: John T. Berger, Kluksberg city attorney; John Nangle, Brentwood city attorney; F. W. Humon, Clayton city attorney; and Oliver Koeneman, mayor of Jennings.

The league also decided to send a letter to the County Council today urging that it act in the matter without further delay, and offering its help. It requested that the council arrange a meeting with the new committee.

County authorities applied a blanket increase to assessments this year to comply with a State Tax Commission order that they be raised to an average of 30 per cent of market value. It has been argued that the percentage increase across the board merely served to make existing inequities still worse.

—MORE MORE—

**Suggests Court Test.** Davidson said league members did not care whether the reassessment is done by county officials or by private assessment firms, adding that regardless of who does it, employees of member municipalities could help.

A question has been raised as to whether it would be legal for the county to contract with private firms to have them do the work. Davidson said he felt sure that the league would be willing to make a court test of that.

The county assessor, Phil G. Deuser, hired 30 additional employees last October to change the tax record books to reflect the blanket increase, using \$20,000 made available from a fund previously earmarked for hiring a private appraisal. He maintained that that had to be done before parcel-by-parcel reappraisal could be started.

**Dues Decreased.** The league reduced its membership dues from 3 cents to 2 cents for each \$1000 of assessed valuation, and made the maximum amount \$500—effective next year—to keep its revenue at about the same level after the assessment increase.

The league decided to ask the Legislature next year to provide for a uniform closing time for taverns in St. Louis and the county. Those in the city may now remain open until 1:30 a.m. Sunday, but those in the county have to close at midnight. Davidson said the members were not asking for the later time for the county, but only that the time be the same for both.

Another motion put the league on record against a recent request by the St. Louis County Water Co. for an unspecified rate increase.

### WAY OPENED FOR TEST OF G.I.'S TRIAL BY JAPAN

MAEBASHI, Japan, Dec. 16 (UP)—A Japanese judge today cleared the way for a test of the constitutional right of the United States Government to submit American service men to trial in foreign courts.

Judge Tsuneo Yamaguchi granted the request of American civilian lawyers for four young GIs to postpone their Japanese court trial long enough to permit a United States federal court to rule on the legality of the United States-Japan administrative agreement.

That agreement gives Japan the right to prosecute and sentence American service men who commit crimes off duty and outside their military posts in Japan. The United States has similar "status of forces" agreements with the NATO countries.

### U.S. HELICOPTER RESCUES 22 KOREANS FROM SHIP

SEOUL, Dec. 16 (AP)—Three United States Marines rescued 22 Korean seamen today from churning waters and high winds at Chinnoggi Gap off the south-east coast of Korea.

Rescue operations began Thursday afternoon after the crew of a South Korean patrol boat radioed that it had run aground on a reef and was taking water.

Marines Pfc. Alton R. Adams of Waco, Tex., and Cpl. Robert L. Patton of North Bessemer, Pa., were rushed to the scene with pumps. Pumping operations were futile. A helicopter piloted by Marine Lt. Robert S. Patton of El Paso, Tex., went into action. Using a cable hoist, Patton lifted the Koreans aboard the copter and flew them to shore. It took eight trips.

### MARGARET TRUMAN READS STORIES TO BLIND PERSONS

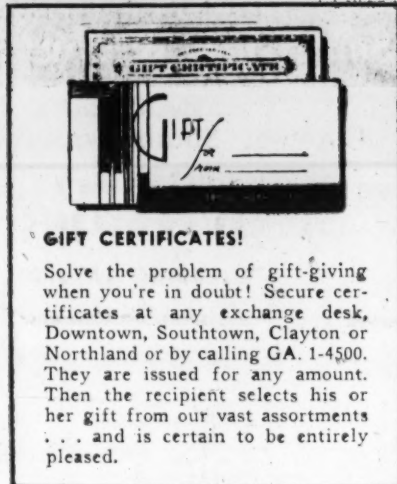
NEW YORK, Dec. 16 (UP)—Margaret Truman, daughter of the former President, read Hanukkah and Christmas stories yesterday to more than 500 sightless persons at the non-sectarian New York Guild for the Jewish Blind.

The audience heard some tape recordings of Miss Truman's star appearance on the NBC radio program "Weekday." She then read a Hanukkah story based on the heroism of the legendary Maccabees and excerpts from Charles Dickens' "A Christmas Carol."

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Charm your family come Christmas morn (or get in your best girl's graces) with this shimmering mandarin collar duster in gold print on aqua, champagne or black magic grounds. Sizes 12 to 44.

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### 'Teens' Felt Skirt

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Full circle for round the clock holiday fun! Zipper back. In 50% wool, 50% rayon felt. Those luscious colors: Powder blue, pink, red and black that go with everything! Give one to yourself or coax one from the family Christmas budget! Sizes 7 to 15 in the group.

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White, black and red.  
Sizes 34 to 40.

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# ALDERMANIC 'EXPERT' IDEA A HOT POTATO

A proposal that the Board of Aldermen hire a "legislative research expert," whose primary job would be to try to improve the board's deteriorated public relations, backfired and has been dropped, the Post-Dispatch was told today.

A group of Democratic alder-

men, including Board President Donald Gunn, A. J. Cervantes, Clinton T. Watson and William K. Gardner, discussed the possibility of creating the new public relations position, feeling that the prestige of the board has been suffering seriously because of unfavorable publicity.

To get funds necessary to pay a qualified "legislative expert," it was suggested that the board fire its assistant clerk, sergeant-at-arms and a stenographer, and cut the parliamen-

tarian's salary by half. When word of the plan leaked out, angry Democratic ward committeemen stormed the board to protest against the loss of these patronage jobs. Now the idea has been dropped, temporarily, at least.

**Central California Quake.**  
PASO ROBLES, Calif., Dec. 16 (AP)—A rolling earthquake cracked plaster in some homes and swayed lamp posts in this central California town for 30 seconds at 6:44 a.m. today. There were no reports of injuries.

# TWO MORE JAPANESE WAR CRIMINALS ARE RELEASED

TOKYO, Dec. 16 (AP)—Two more major war criminals of World War II were freed from Sugamo prison today after serving 10 years.

They are Marquis Koichi Kido, 66 years old, wartime ambassador to Nazi Germany. Both were sentenced to life by the international military tribunal for conspiring to wage aggressive war.

# PRESIDENT OF URUGUAY REPORTED 'IMPROVING'

CHICAGO, Dec. 16 (UP)—Doctors at Wesley Memorial Hospital reported today that President Luis Batlle Berres of Uruguay "continues to improve" from a stomach ailment he suffered Wednesday.

Results of laboratory tests were described as "excellent." The tests were undertaken to determine whether surgery will be necessary to treat what is

reported to be a "gastro-intestinal disorder."

The 56-year-old President became ill at a private dinner here while on a tour of the United States. The attack forced cancellation of his plans to visit Miami, Fla., and Costa Rica.

Australia's Envoy to U.N. CANBERRA, Dec. 16 (AP)—Dr. Edward Ronald Walker, Australian Ambassador to Japan since 1952, was appointed Australia's permanent representative to the United Nations today. He will succeed W. D. Forsyth.

# ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH

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# IRAN GIVEN RED WARNING ON OIL LEASE TO U.S. FIRM

MOSCOW, Dec. 16 (AP)—The magazine New Times warned Iran today the Soviet Union would consider a grant of oil concessions in northern Iran to United States companies as an unfriendly act and a violation of the 1941 Soviet-Iranian treaty. The magazine, citing an Iranian report that a United States

company identified only as Grando is seeking leases in northern Iran, said such concessions "would open for United States spies the possibility of freedom of activity near the Soviet Union's borders."

The magazine said the 1921 Soviet-Iranian treaty obliged Iran not to lease foreign powers or firms concessions in north Iran formerly belonging to Czarist Russia which the Soviet Union "generously returned to Iran."

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A. Stripe club collar baby doll sleeve blouses. Red or green stripes. 9-15. 4.98.

B. Tattersall check club collar blouse with tab front. Roll sleeve. Red, green, gold. 9-15. 4.98.

C. Solid color blouse with Italian-inspired collar. New roll sleeve. White, blue, maize, beige, pink. 9-15. 4.98.

D. Solid color pullover doll sleeve blouse with club collar. White, pink, blue, maize, beige. 9-15. 4.98.

\* DuPont's trademark for its Polyester fiber.

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## FTC WILL USE PERSUASION ON INSURANCE FIRMS

**Ruling May Keep It From Prosecuting for 'Deceptive' Health Policy Ads.**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16 (AP)—The Federal Trade Commission has turned from prosecution to persuasion in an effort to halt what it considers "deceptive and harmful" advertising of health and accident insurance.

It said yesterday it would convene "as soon as possible" a meeting of state insurance commissioners, industry representatives and others interested to seek a "uniform corrective solution" to the problem.

The agency has been studying the insurance field for nearly two years, and has charged 41 companies with using false and misleading advertising. Most of the companies have denied the charges and set out to fight them.

**Test Case Ruling.**

In a test case, FTC Examiner Frank Hier ruled Dec. 1 that the FTC's jurisdiction in such cases is limited to states that do not have laws which "adequately prohibit false, misleading or deceptive advertising." Only four states and the District of Columbia have no such laws, he said.

Hier's ruling still is subject to review by the commission itself.

Yesterday's announcement did not refer directly to the ruling or to the status of the pending cases. It said, however, that federal law "contemplated a division between the Federal Trade Commission and the several states of the regulatory responsibilities concerning the advertising practices found in the business of insurance."

**Dual Responsibility.** It was because of this "dual responsibility," the FTC said, that invitations were to be sent to state authorities "so that a pooling of the expert aid and assistance they can provide will serve to create a basis for not only a timely, but a uniform corrective solution of the problem to which the rules will be addressed."

Of the 41 companies against which complaints have been filed, four have accepted consent orders to discontinue the challenged advertising.

The others have denied that the FTC has jurisdiction over their advertising, arguing that the states supply adequate regulation of their activities. Additionally, they have denied any deception in their advertising practices.

### JOSEPH DOBRIN DIES AT 64

Joseph Dobrin, a merchant here for 40 years, died today of cancer at Jewish Hospital. He was 64 years old and lived at 1281A Amherst place, University City. He was owner and operator of Franklin Bargain store, 1410 Franklin avenue.

Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a.m. Sunday at Berger undertaking establishment, 4715 McPherson avenue. Burial will be in Chevrah Kadisha Cemetery. Survivors include his wife, a daughter, Mrs. Bea Kaufman, University City; a son, Morris, University City; and two sisters.

## MALINE PROPERTY OWNERS MAY GET SEWER REFUNDS

Refunds of \$200 will be made to each of almost 1200 property owners in the Maline creek area in northwest St. Louis county, if a bond issue proposition to build a major trunk sewer there is approved Feb. 7, the Metropolitan St. Louis Sewer District announced yesterday.

The property owners are those who met the legal requirement of the district in the past year to put up \$200 per building lot for homes constructed in areas without adequate sewage facilities, officials said.

The funds, which now total about \$227,000, were held in escrow by the district to be used for sewer construction. However, because the money is far short of the approximately \$1,250,000 needed for a Maline trunk sewer, the project is to be financed by bond issue. Passage of the bond issue, officials said, will clear the way for immediate refunds.

### LT. GEN. STONE TO HEAD CONTINENTAL AIR COMMAND

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16 (AP)—The Air Force announced yesterday that Lt. Gen. Charles B. Stone III, now a deputy chief of staff, will take command immediately of the Continental Air Command.

Stone succeeds Lt. Gen. Leon W. Johnson, who is being nominated for what the Air Force said is "a highly important assignment" to be announced later. Continental Air Command headquarters is at Mitchell Air Force Base, Long Island, N.Y. Johnson will continue for the time being as senior Air Force representative to the United Nations.

Lt. Gen. Manuel J. Asensio, who was appointed to three-star rank this week, will succeed Stone as deputy chief of staff, comptroller. Replacing Asensio as vice commander of the Continental Air Command will be Maj. Gen. Morris R. Nelson, now commander of the Eastern Air Defense Force at Stewart Air Force base, New York.

### DEFERS NARCOTICS SELLER'S SENTENCE ON OFFER OF AID

United States District Judge George H. Moore today deferred sentence of an admitted narcotics peddler on his assurance that he would co-operate with authorities in investigating traffic in narcotics in St. Louis.

Charles H. Phillips, of Chicago, a former convict, pleaded guilty of five violations of the federal narcotics act, including transporting and selling narcotics. Phillips, a Negro, said a Chicago gambler had engaged him to bring the drugs here.

In deferring sentence until Jan. 11, Judge Moore remarked that "your fate may well hang on the results of this investigation."

### NASHVILLE PAPER'S VIEW ON KEFAUVER: 'SO WHAT?'

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 16 (UP)—The Nashville Banner, which has opposed the Senator, had a two-line editorial headed "Extra! Extra!" Today on Senator Estes Kefauver's announcement he will seek the Democratic presidential nomination again.

The editorial read: "Kefauver announces. 'So what?'"

Shop Tonight and Saturday Night 'til 9:30 in Our Clayton, Southtown, Northland Stores



## Downtown Store Hours

OPEN 'TIL 8:30 p.m.

Open Every Day at 9:30 a.m. Close at 9:30 p.m. Fri. and Sat.

Clayton, Southtown and Northland

OPEN Every Night 'Til Christmas Eve

9:30 A.M. to 9:30 P.M.

INCLUDING SATURDAY



## Sale! Older Boys'

All Wool Flannel Suits

25<sup>00</sup> Regularly 32.50

Just right for that Christmas party... smartly tailored flannel suit of 100% all wool in the two-button, single-breasted style. Flap pocket with back center vent. Charcoal and grey shades. Sizes 13 to 20.

Famous-Barr Co.'s Boys' Clothing—DOWNTOWN, CLAYTON, SOUTHTOWN & NORTHLAND, Second Floor



## Boys' Tassel Leather Slippers

8<sup>95</sup>

The casual kind of shoes he likes for dress or occasional wear! Soft black leather, leather laced, with frisky tassel. Surprise him with a pair at Christmas! Sizes 4-6.

Mail Orders Filled Phone Orders Call GA 1-4500

Famous-Barr Co.'s Boys' Shoes—DOWNTOWN, Second Floor; CLAYTON, SOUTHTOWN, NORTHLAND, Main Floor

## Youngsters Get All Dressed Up for Santa

### FOR HIM:

Stee Suit, a Lennie Original, in spun rayon, with handsome tailored jacket and fly-front, boxer shorts. Two-toned combinations in sizes 2 to 6. White jacket with navy pants, maize with brown pants, or Mint with Charcoal pants 7<sup>98</sup>

### FOR HER:

Soucy Buck Tote, right out of the pages of Harper's Bazaar, styled by Love. Plaid at the party... a Dan River cotton in pink and gray on white, wide-skirted and bow-tied in 4<sup>98</sup> blue. Sizes 3 to 6x

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Famous-Barr Co.'s Girls' and Babies'—DOWNTOWN, Fifth Floor; CLAYTON, SOUTHTOWN, NORTHLAND, Second Floor



## Just Like Big Sister's! Give Her Spalding Junior Saddle Oxfords

8<sup>95</sup>

Watch her eyes light up when she spies these saddle oxfords, just like those that big sister wears, under her Christmas tree! Classic style in black and white. Sizes 12½ to 3. Get her a pair Saturday!

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Famous-Barr Co.'s Youngsters' Shoes—DOWNTOWN, Third Floor; CLAYTON, SOUTHTOWN, NORTHLAND, Second Floor



### Pre-Christmas SALE!

Cotton Quilted Dusters

3<sup>99</sup> 5.99 Value

Just what she's been wanting... adorable strawberry print cotton quilt duster for that favorite little miss on your gift list. She'll love its warmth, practicability and smart style. Solid color and cuff trim, match lining. Aqua and red. Sizes 8 to 14.

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Famous-Barr Co.'s Girls' Undies—DOWNTOWN, Fifth Floor; CLAYTON, SOUTHTOWN, NORTHLAND, Second Floor





See **WALT DISNEY Disneyland**

**IN MINIATURE—DOWNTOWN TOYLAND**

No Charge for Admission—  
Entrance through Toyland, Eighth Floor

Disneyland . . . the fabulous new playground that Walt Disney developed in California has been brought to St. Louis in miniature exhibition form by Famous-Barr Co. It's a real Fairyland for youngsters to see!

A wonderful surprise package can be purchased if 25¢ desired. Downtown, Southtown and Northland.

WHERE CHRISTMAS WISHES COME TRUE

**Famous-Barr Co.**

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SIXTH & OLIVE  
**CLAYTON SOUTHTOWN**  
FOURTH & JACKSON KINGS HIGHWAY & CHIPPewa  
**NORTHLAND**  
W. HURON & LEXA & HUNT

WE GIVE AND REDEEM EAGLE STAMPS

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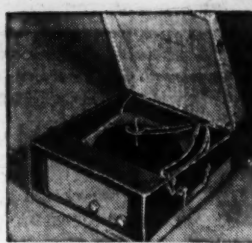
Monday —  
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Wednesday and  
Thursday

Open Every Day at 9:30 A.M., Close at 5:30 Friday and Saturday

**Clayton, Southtown and Northland**

**Open Every Day 'Til Christmas Eve**  
**9:30 a.m. to 9:30 p.m.**  
**INCLUDING SATURDAY**

## 10 Gift Phonograph Suggestions



**COLUMBIA HIS AND HER PHONOGRAPHS**, with automatic changer. Leather-toned plastic covered cases. His, charcoal and grey; Hers, charcoal and pink. Plus House Party Record! Ea. **5995**



**ADMIRAL DE LUXE 4-SPEED** automatic record player, with flip-over needle, ceramic cartridge, tone control. Beautiful luggage-type carrying case. **5995**



**V-M 4-SPEED PORTABLE RECORD PLAYERS** with metal motor board, turn-over needle. Attractive 2-tone case. Grand gift for teenagers! **2995**



**BEAM 3-SPEED PORTABLE PHONOGRAPHS**, food tone portable with carrying case and 6 records. A gift that'll last and last! All for **1995**



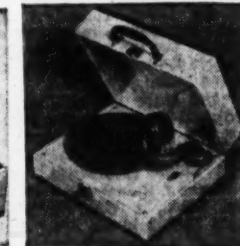
**COLUMBIA HIS AND HER PHONOGRAPHS**, complete with 12 in. L.P. House Party Records. Manual operated, with flip-over needle. **2995**



**11.95 YOUNGSTERS' RECORD PLAYERS WITH 8 RECORDS**, (16 selections). Sturdily constructed, attractive metal player youngsters will love! **898**



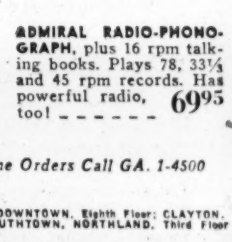
**WEBCOR 3-SPEED PORTABLE RECORD PLAYERS** with turn-over needle, tone control and other features. Good-looking 2-tone cabinet. **2360**



**CHILDREN'S 13.95 PHONOGRAPHS**, in carrying case made to stand a lot of abuse from youngsters! Provides hours of enjoyment. Save! **1095**



**V-M AUTOMATIC 4-SPEED TABLE MODEL RECORD PLAYERS**, in striking cream and red. Plays records automatically. **5995**



**ADMIRAL RADIO-PHONOGRAPH**, plus 16 rpm talking books. Plays 78, 33 1/3 and 45 rpm records. Has powerful radio, **6995**

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Famous-Barr Co.'s Phonographs—DOWNTOWN, Eighth Floor; CLAYTON, SOUTHTOWN, NORTHLAND, Third Floor



A complete nursery for tiny mothers!

## Metal Babyland Nursery

**298**

complete with nurse and babies!

Just like real hospital nursery with everything from the nurse and tiny babies of flexible, unbreakable plastic, to an incubator! Metal lithographed building 15 1/4 in. long, 8 1/4 in. wide and 9 in. high, with two large picture windows and doorway. Set includes: bottles, cloth crib blankets, incubator, cabinet with bottle sterilizer, high chair, cribs, screen, bathtub, oxygen tank and Baby Tender.

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## Save 120.00 on 1956 De Luxe 21-in. Westinghouse TV



**NO DOWN PAYMENT**  
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### VHF Console

359.95 value!

**239<sup>95</sup>**

With UHF Channel 36, 10.00 extra  
Same Set with All-Channel UHF-VHF Tuner **269.95**

Prices include federal tax, 1-year warranty on picture tube and 90 days on parts from date of installation.

We're playing Santa Claus . . . so that your whole family may enjoy this wonderful new TV set . . . at a saving of 120.00! You'll find all the newest Westinghouse features: full contour picture framing and new dimensional speaker grille that provide greater eye comfort, better listening, electrostatic picture tube, and built-in antenna. Handsome mahogany finished console cabinet. Hurry . . . get yours Saturday!

#### MAGIC WINDOW

Softly illuminated channel numbers are projected and magnified on Magic Window, so numbers can be seen from viewing position.

Famous-Barr Co.'s Television—DOWNTOWN, Eighth Floor; CLAYTON, SOUTHTOWN, NORTHLAND, Third Floor

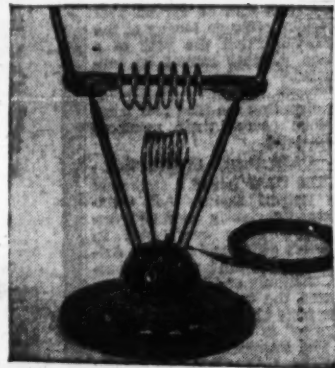
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**SHOP "Famous" FIRST!**

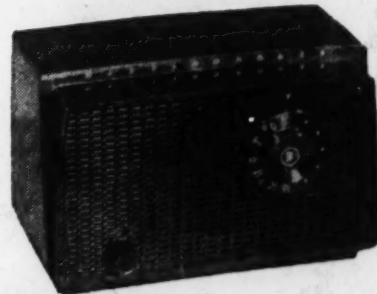
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### All-Channel UHF-VHF Delta Beam TV Antennas

Only with the new Delta Beam indoor television antenna do you get the new Direction Finder at no additional charge! How often have you moved the indoor antenna and lost your perfect picture? This is now eliminated with the new direction finder. Impedance switch eliminates ghosts and shadows. Channels 2 to 821



### Give a Westinghouse Radio

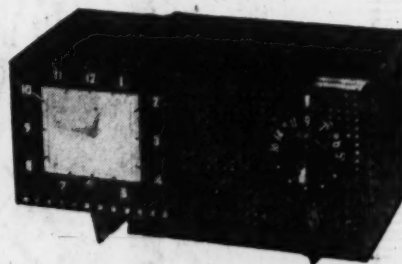


#### Westinghouse Table Radios

**19<sup>95</sup>** Black Polystyrene

In Colors **21.95**

Attractive, dependable, little radios with Silver Safe guard circuits. Smart cabinets, some with contrasting grills, with gleaming gold-toned numbers on tuning dial, for easy station selection. Built-in antenna.



#### Westinghouse Clock Radios

**24<sup>95</sup>** Black Polystyrene

It turns on automatically, wakes you to the strains of music at the time you select! Dependable clock mechanism with easy to read face, contrasting numbers on large tuning dial, built-in antenna. A dual purpose gift.

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Famous-Barr Co.'s Radios—DOWNTOWN, Eighth Floor; CLAYTON, SOUTHTOWN, NORTHLAND, Third Floor

## Be Thrifty—Get "Two-Fifty" (\$2.50) IN MERCHANDISE FOR FILLED Eagle Stamp Books



1. Filled Eagle Stamp Books are worth \$2.25 in cash but you get 11% more at Famous-Barr when you redeem them for \$2.50 in merchandise.

2. Fill your Eagle Stamp Books quickly by shopping regularly at Famous-Barr and at gas stations, food stores, etc., that give Eagle Stamps.

3. Redeem filled Eagle Stamp Books for \$2.50 in merchandise, 2nd Fl. Downtown, Main Floor Balcony at Clayton, Basement at Southtown, Third Floor at Northland.



## TWO UNION MEN SAY POLITICAL GIFTS ARE FORCED

CIO-UAW Members Are Republicans, Complain Funds Go to Democrats.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16 (AP)—Two working men who belong both to the CIO and the Republican party asserted yesterday that they and like-minded unionists are being forced to contribute to the Democrats.

Harry F. Brothers of Ypsilanti, Mich., who said he had been a member of the CIO United Auto Workers for 15 years, told a press conference called by Senator Carl T. Curtis (Rep., Nebraska):

"It's no secret that the union bosses are taking vast sums from union dues and are placing them at the disposal of the Democrats.

"As a Republican, I bitterly oppose being compelled to make involuntary contributions through the use of my dues to finance the party I vote against at the polls.

"And there are millions of rank-and-file men in this country who are as bitter about it as I am."

Survey of Attitude.

Walter J. Brauning of Chelsea, Mich., a UAW member since 1942, told the same conference that independent surveys in Michigan showed 40 per cent of union members had voted the Republican presidential ticket in 1952 while most union leaders and funds backed the Democrats.

Brauning said Gus Scholle and Walter Reuther, the Michigan and national heads of the CIO, respectively, were both unfriendly to all Republican candidates.

Clarence Bridgeman of Marquette, Mich., a former member of the CIO-UAW, testified that in 1954 the funds of his own local were used against him, and for a Democrat, when he ran unsuccessfully as a Republican for clerk of Marquette county. He said this meant he was forced to contribute money to his opponent's campaign.

Goldwater Sits In.

Curtis called the press conference in a followup of complaints by him and Senator Barry Goldwater (Rep., Arizona), that many labor union members are forced by union leaders to contribute to the Democrats, while they prefer Republican candidates. Goldwater sat in at the conference.

Meanwhile, Secretary of Labor James P. Mitchell told a press conference that he expects "a lot of union members" to vote Republican in 1956.

"Certainly the laboring man, to use the vernacular, never had it so good," Mitchell said. "He's going to vote the way it seems to him best to serve his own interests. I think his best interest is to vote Republican."

Mitchell said he agreed with President George Meany of the AFL-CIO "that the vote of a union member cannot be controlled."

Meany had made that point in disputing the idea that labor unions coerce their members politically.

UAW Issues Statement.

The UAW issued a statement at Detroit saying that Goldwater "obviously sparked" yesterday's press conference in Curtis's office and said the Arizona Republican had "maliciously, wantonly and knowingly distorted the facts about our political activities" in recent weeks.

The statement added: "The UAW-CIO has strictly observed the law with respect to election expenditures.

"The only area in which we have been challenged is now being tested in the federal courts. We welcome this opportunity to test this difference of opinion between us and the Republican Administration on the interpretation of the law before an impartial tribunal.

"Senator Goldwater... is racing against time to try to sell Americans his big lie before the 1956 election and before there is a considered judicial decision on the question at issue."

"Senator Goldwater told a deliberate lie when a few weeks ago he made the public statement that UAW-CIO Local 600 had appropriated dues money for the campaign of John Dingell Jr., who was elected to Congress just this week to succeed his father."

"Senator Goldwater was apprised of the falsity of his charges, but, in spite of that, he has continued to repeat the lie. UAW-CIO contributions to all Federal election campaigns have come from voluntary contributions and all our other activities have been within the framework of the law. We are prepared to test these facts in the courts and we are testing them now."

"Senator Goldwater knows this. Senator Curtis does too. So do the two men who were guests of the two Senators at the press conference in Senator Curtis's office this afternoon."

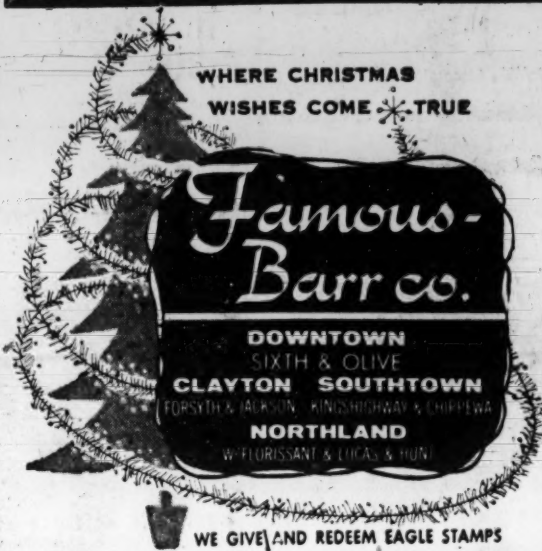
## EDEN CONFINED TO ROOM FOR THIRD DAY WITH COLD

LONDON, Dec. 16 (UP)—Prime Minister Eden was confined to his room with a cold today for the third consecutive day.

A statement from 10 Downing street, the Prime Minister's residence, said Eden "had a better night and his temperature is lower."

"But he is still confined to his room," the statement added.

## CLAYTON, SOUTHTOWN AND NORTHLAND STORES OPEN TONIGHT AND SATURDAY 'TIL 9:30 P.M.



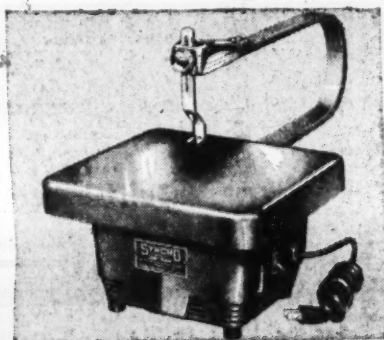
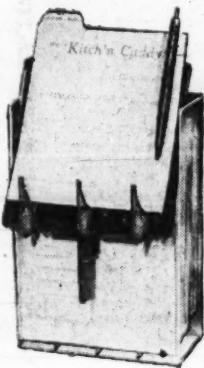
So handy when you're busy!  
Kitchen Caddy

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Imagine — it holds your recipe so you can see it without stopping the beating or stirring! Also fine for rathskeller, library, den, beside the phone. Clear bakelite polystyrene, lid and fins of cardinal red.

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Quality Synco Jig Saws

24<sup>95</sup>

Sturdily constructed and completely safe. So easy to operate... just plug it in and it's ready to work.

Synco Sander — de luxe model with 4x8 in. sanding surface. With handy on-off switch. 39.95

Synco Sander-Polisher — perfect for light sanding jobs at home. 3 1/2 x 6 1/4 in. sanding surface. 19.95

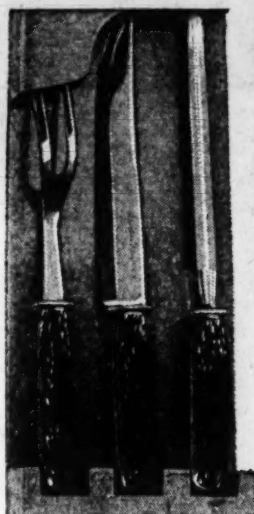
De Luxe Model. 24.95

All Sanders in Metal Boxes

Shipping charges extra beyond our regular truck delivery zone.

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DOWNTOWN STORE HOURS  
TODAY and SATURDAY, 9:30 A.M. to 5:30 P.M.  
NEXT WEEK  
Open Mon., Tues., Wed., Thurs. Nights  
'Til 8:30 P.M.



EKCO "ETERNA"  
STAINLESS STEEL  
3-Pc. CARVING SET

6<sup>88</sup>

9.95 Value

Razor-sharp knife; hollow-ground blade. All three pieces stainless steel with simulated stag handles. Attractive hard wood rack, too! A gift that's sure to please.

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Charming Accent Rugs by Karastan

27x45 inches 15<sup>50</sup>

3x5 feet 26<sup>00</sup>

4.6x6 feet 46<sup>50</sup>

Gems of the rugmaker's art, these will add a warm welcome to entrance hall, before the living-room fireplace, in den or guestroom. Their delightful bouquets add a fresh note of color, just like the flowers you gather from your garden. Several lovely patterns in modern floral arrangements and reproductions of old hooked rug designs. Loomed of cushiony cotton to pamper your feet.

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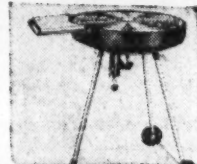
## Sporting Goods Favorites for Your Gift List!



34.98 7x35 Imported  
BINOCULARS

With individual focus eye-pieces, coated lens. With leather case. 23.98

Plus 10% Fed. Tax



24.95 ADJUSTABLE  
BARBECUE GRILLS\*

With cutting board, 33 in. high to top of bowl, adjustable grill heights. Heavy gauge 24-in. diameter fire pot chrome-plated grill. 17.98



14.98 SLEEPING  
BAG & CANOPY

Filled with Kapok these bags have balloon cloth top, water-proof bottoms. Protective canopies. 10.98



14.98 BAR-BEE-QUE  
18-INCH BRAZIER\*

Big 5-in. rubber-tired wheels. 18-in. diameter; grill adjustable to different heights. Assembles and disassembles quickly. 26 in. high. 7.98



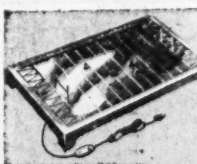
BAR-BELL SETS  
FOR EXERCISE\*

60-lb. set, 4-ft. steel bar, chrome-plated sleeve, book of instructions. Dad would like this ultra-masculine gift. 16.95



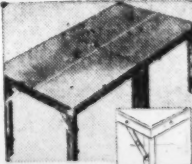
FAMED RAWLINGS  
BASKETBALL OUTFITS

Rawlings basketball outfit: official size rubber ball, steel goal with net. An outfit any boy would be proud to have. 7.95



ELECTRIC FOOTBALL  
OR BASKETBALL

All metal construction, 26x15 in. size. Lithographed in 4 colors. Ball is actually passed or kicked as players move on field. 6.98



39.95 FOLDING TABLE  
TENNIS TABLES\*

5x9 ft. long, has 8 legs, composition top playing surface. Plastic tape furnished for easy stripping. Green and lacquer. 34.95



"CHICAGO" RINK  
SHOE ROLLER SKATES

For men, women, children. Maple wheels, 40-degree action, factory assembled. White for women and children; black—men—17.98 and boys



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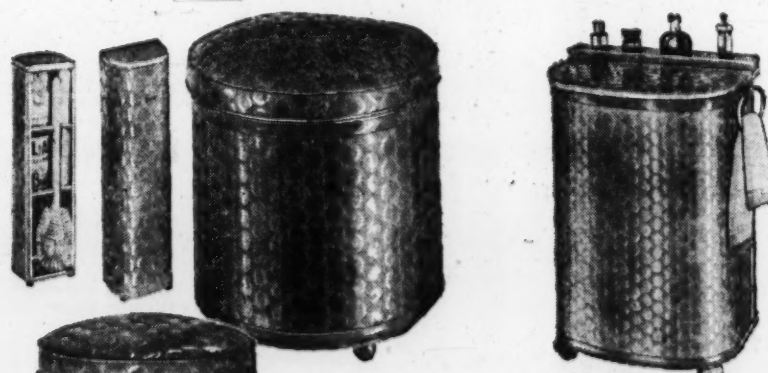
Schwinn racers, boys' and girls', with 3-speed controls, twin caliper brakes. Combine speed and safety for your children. 49.95

De Luxe Model. 54.95

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## Add Beauty and Service to the Home You Love!



New "Pearl-Bubble"  
by Famed Pearl-Wick Products

No wonder so many of our customers are buying more and more of these! Each "Pearl-Bubble" is a steel-ribbed beauty... washable, no dent, no bulge, no scuff—and air-conditioned, to guard against mildew and odors!

Shelf-Hamper 14x21x30 inches 15.95  
Hamper 12x21x21 inches 11.98  
Hamper 12x21x25 inches 12.98  
Powder Puff Hamper, 16 1/2 x 18 1/2 inches 13.98  
Toilet Brush and Holder, 4 1/2 x 6 x 19 inches 4.98  
Waste Basket, 7 1/2 x 11 1/2 x 14 3.98  
Chrome-plated Stool with cushion top, 16 in. high, 13 in. diameter 7.49

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Popular Harper-Ransburg  
Hand-painted Kitchen Ware

Long a favorite with many proud home-makers! All-metal kitchen ware in four colors that match most decor. Red, Yellow, White, Black.

Roll-Top Bread Box 5.00  
4-Pc. Canister Set 4.00  
Oval Waste Basket 2.00  
Large Round Waste Basket 3.00

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Around the Neck  
Beauty Mirrors

3<sup>75</sup> one side is magnifying

Your hands are free for make-up, shaving, home permanents! Especially fine for invalids. Double mirror... one side plain, one magnifying.

8-in. Beauty Mirror on chrome-plated adjustable stand. Gift idea! 5.99

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ward F. Howrey Was  
Still Chairman.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16 (UP)—The law firm of former Federal Trade Commission Chairman Edward F. Howrey is defending a national grocery chain accused of violating FTC regulations, it was learned today.

The case against the chain—Food Fair Stores of Philadelphia—originated while Howrey, a Republican, still was FTC chief.

A spokesman said, however, that the case was being processed in the commission's bureau of litigation when Howrey resigned from the FTC last September. He said that Howrey never saw any files or records connected with it.

Food Fair operates 200 outlets in the East and does a \$400,000,000-a-year business.

**Special Discounts Alleged.**  
Food Fair and another chain—Giant Food Stores—were accused by the FTC Nov. 25 of inducing 11 food manufacturers to give them special discounts. The commission said this was unfair competition.

FTC rules provide that no former FTC member shall appear as an attorney in any legal proceedings "the files of which came to his personal attention during his employment or on which he performed any work of significant importance."

A spokesman for Howrey's law firm said that while it would be "entirely proper" for Howrey to work on the Food Fair case, he did not think Howrey would take an active part in the defense.

"Mr. Lewis Gravelle, senior partner of the firm, will handle the arguments before the commission," he said.

The Food Fair issue closely approximates a case which Howrey, as a private attorney, appealed to the Supreme Court in 1952.

**Earlier Case Dismissed.**  
At the time Howrey represented the Automatic Canteen Co., accused by the FTC of receiving illegal price rebates. The Supreme Court rejected the theory of the FTC's case against Automatic Canteen and sent the case back to the commission. The FTC dismissed the case in January 1953.

Howrey was chairman of the commission at the time, but disqualified himself from the case.

The FTC accused Food Fair and the Giant Stores of coercing suppliers to grant them special discounts for an anniversary sale, "knowing their competitors would not get equal rebates." Food Fair has denied using any coercion. It also maintains that the discounts were available to all.

Howrey was appointed chairman of the FTC by President Eisenhower in February 1953. He quit the Washington law firm of Sanders, Gravelle, Whitlock and Howrey to take the job. Howrey left the commission last September to rejoin the same firm—now known as Gravelle, Whitlock, Howrey and Markey. He took his administrative assistant, Dave Murkinson, with him.

## MAN FREED IN KILLING OF WIFE AND DAUGHTER

MELBOURNE, Fla., Dec. 16 (AP)—A coroner's jury late yesterday decided that Mrs. Patricia Van Eeghen and her 7-year-old daughter Phyllis met death a week ago "at the hands of a person or persons unknown."

The action freed Philip Van Eeghen, 30 years old, who had been held in jail for six days following the finding of the bodies early last Friday. No charges had been filed against him.

Dr. E. C. Tedford, examining physician, told the coroner's jury that Mrs. Van Eeghen, 29, and her daughter both died of head wounds caused by a sharp, heavy instrument.

The bodies of the victims were found in the family automobile parked across the street from a funeral home. Van Eeghen, a former St. Louisan, reported his wife and daughter missing shortly before the bodies were found.

## JANE RUSSELL, HOLDEN WIN PRESS CLUB AWARDS

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 16 (AP)—Jane Russell and William Holden have been voted the golden apple awards as the most co-operative actress and actor for 1955 by the Hollywood Women's Press Club.

The awards, announced yesterday, will be made Tuesday at the club's Christmas luncheon at the Beverly Hills Hotel. Bette Davis and Bob Hope first won the awards in 1941.

## JAPAN RATIFIES ATOM PACT

TOKYO, Dec. 16 (AP)—The United States-Japan atom-for-peace agreement was ratified today at the final session of Japan's parliament session.

The United States agreed in the pact to provide Japan with enriched uranium for research into peaceful uses of atomic energy. Bills creating Japan's atomic energy committee and a basic atomic energy law designed to guarantee against its use in Japan for military purposes also were passed.

## Search for Plane Announced.

NAPLES, Italy, Dec. 16 (AP)—United States and Italian search planes have given up the hunt for a United States Navy plane and its pilot, missing for two days. The search was concentrated in the Mediterranean sea southwest of Sardinia, where the plane, from the aircraft carrier Lake Champlain, was believed to have gone down.

## Store Santa Has to Contend With Doubters, Beard-Yankers



WALTER FRITZ getting ready for another day's work as Santa Claus.

A convincing ho-ho-ho and equanimity in the face of the most unlikely questions are among attributes of a good department store Santa Claus, the jolly fellow from the North Pole said today.

Completing his sixth week of listening to the Christmas wishes of thousands of children at Scruggs-Vandervoort-Barney, Walter Fritz, 5813 Easton avenue, has had to cope with everything from beard yankers to gimlet-eyed doubting Thomases.

While hundreds of youngsters have tested his beard with an unexpected pull, only one child has succeeded in proving it isn't genuine, the man in the red suit reported.

"There I was with my bare beard hanging away from my chin," Fritz, 63 years old, related, "and I had to dash quickly to a back room before the other kids noticed it."

He used the pretext of having to feed his reindeer to explain his hasty departure to the waiting line of children. Fritz uses the reindeer routine every two hours, when his fellow Santa relieves him.

Aside from a few times when his whiskers get caught in a departing child's coat buttons, sending him stumbling after the

youngster, Fritz is prepared for would-be beard-yankers because most of them don't try it until after they have asked for their presents, he said.

Santa's beard is firmly secured to his face with strings that tie over the top of his head. No glue or adhesive tape for today's Claus.

The children see so many Santa Clauses—in all the department stores and on scores of street corners clanging bells—they get confused and often ask which one is the genuine article. The standard answer is that the others are helpers, Fritz said.

A quick glance at a mother is usually sufficient to indicate whether he can tell a child that his request for a baby brother or sister will be answered but a lot of fast talk is needed when the children ask for real lions and such, the 205-pound Santa explained.

Biggest problem is the quizzical type of child, who demandingly asks Santa if he remembers all the things the child requested in his letter to the North Pole. The answer to his query is generally a ho-ho-ho. Fritz enjoys talking to children because of their truthfulness. Most adults, he confided, are pathological liars.

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## No Outcry Raised at President's Proposal to Expand American Overseas Information Program

Agency Appears to Have Recovered From McCarthy Attacks—Budget Has Been Only Small Fraction of What Reds Spend on Their Propaganda Efforts.

By GEORGE H. HALL

A Washington Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.

UNITED STATES programs aimed at eventual world disarmament would be pressed more intensively throughout the world if the United States Information Agency receives the increase in funds recommended by President Eisenhower and endorsed by some congressional leaders.

Mr. Eisenhower has taken more than a casual interest in this country's foreign information service and the fact that he could propose an expanded program, as he did on Tuesday, without raising an outcry in some quarters, indicates the agency has pretty well recovered from the attacks of Senator Joseph R. McCarthy (Rep., Wis.), and the destructive antics of his investigators, Roy M. Cohn and G. David Schine. There are no firm figures on the amount the Administration will ask Congress to appropriate for the Information Agency in the 1957 fiscal year beginning next July 1, but the sum of \$135,000,000 has been mentioned. This is not a great deal more than the \$123,000,000 the agency received in fiscal 1955, the last year in which it was incorporated in the State Department. It became independent Aug. 1, 1953.

**Rise in Appropriations.** Actual operating funds were cut back 38 per cent in fiscal 1954 to about \$76,000,000, after which the agency, under Theodore C. Streibert, former board chairman of the Mutual Broadcasting System, began a gradual ascent. Appropriations were \$77,000,000 in 1955 and \$85,000,000 in 1956.

Any additional funds Congress might appropriate would go mainly to producing more books, pamphlets, radio and television presentations, motion pictures and traveling exhibits rather than to hiring more employees. There are about 9500 employees, Americans and nationals of other countries, at present.

These appropriations appear small in the light of what is known about Soviet Russian propaganda efforts, now apparently stepped up throughout the world.

A U.S.I.A. report earlier this year indicated that in 1953 Soviet Russia was spending about \$1,167,000,000 on the satellites were spending \$529,000,000 on direct propaganda, and that Communist China was spending \$1,500,000,000 on propaganda and education. It was thought these expenditures probably increased slightly in 1954.

**Soviet Broadcasts.** At the end of 1954 Communist radio stations, official and clandestine, were broadcasting 1675 hours a week on international transmissions, an increase of 100 hours over the previous year. A comparable figure for the Voice of America, which transmits in 39 languages, was 728 hours a week.

In addition to the Russian voice broadcasting the official Russian news agency, Tass, broadcasts in Morse code or radio teletype in Russian, French, German, Spanish and English for a total of 847 hours a week. Tass is reported to be the chief source of world news in an area populated by 745,000,000 persons, or nearly 40 per cent of the population of the world. The U.S.I.A. does not attempt to compete with private news agencies, but it does transmit by wireless to its foreign posts texts of speeches and official statements which are copied and handed out locally to interested persons, such as newspaper editors.

The intelligence report shows that 683 delegations entered the Soviet Union from other countries in 1954 and at least 363 delegations went from Russia to other countries, twice the number of 1953. These propaganda visits were stepped up this year and for the first time were made by the highest Russian officials.

Streibert has refused repeatedly to disclose possible budget figures until the President puts his proposals before Congress in January, but has said he could employ "substantially greater resources." One of the projects these added resources would be used for would be the promotion of President Eisenhower's "open sky" plan for armament inspection.

This plan was incorporated in the western-sponsored disarmament resolution approved by the United Nations General Assembly political committee over Soviet opposition last Monday. The resolution establishes priority in future disarmament efforts for Mr. Eisenhower's plan, under which the United States and Russia would agree to exchange military blueprints and permit mutual aerial reconnaissance as proof that neither was readying a surprise attack. Vote is 53 to 5.

The vote for the resolution was 53 to 5. The decision was greeted enthusiastically by Henry Cabot Lodge Jr., chief United States Ambassador to the U.N., and was criticized by the Russians. The U.S.I.A. has been publicizing the Eisenhower plan and would push it harder if more money was available. The U.S.I.A. would hope to have the same success on disarmament.

## FLEESON — Lausche Eyes Second Spot On Ballot

Ohio Governor to Bargain at Democrats' Convention.

By DORIS FLEESON

WASHINGTON.

GOV. FRANK LAUSCHE of Ohio aims to take Ohio's 58-vote delegation to the Democratic National Convention as a solid bloc for bargaining purposes.

He hopes for the vice presidency. At the very least he intends to put the Democratic candidate for President under such obligation that Lausche will be assured of a top job in the Federal Government if and when he wants it.

A Catholic, he says he knows the Presidency is beyond his reach. But he has been encouraged to believe—perhaps by recent mention of the Vice Presidency for Mayor Wagner of New York who is Catholic—that there is no objection in their party to a Catholic in the second spot.

**Long in Public Office.** Lausche has spent virtually all his adult life in public office. He has been successful and he enjoys it. For five terms he has been Governor of Ohio with a salary of \$20,000 and such prerequisites as a car and servants.

He does not want to return to the private practice of law; even if he liked it, he would need important success to duplicate his present status and he would want to end up in a minor federal post.

He still may decide to run for the Senate against the incumbent, Republican George Bender. Most observers think he would win. But he is uncertain about whether he would like the Senate; former Governors often do find it boring after having executive power.

The caution with which Lausche approaches national politics reflects a little known episode in his life when he was a lame duck. He had been Governor two years when he was defeated for re-election in 1947. Private life had no appeal and he came to Washington to see what President Truman and the national committee had to offer.

**Truman Had Troubles.** But Truman had his own troubles. He had got a Republican Congress—his "eleventh

## New Names for U.N.



Plaques bearing names of nations admitted to the United Nations Wednesday being checked by GEORGE FOGUE, supervisor of U.N. conference service guards, before they were put in place yesterday. Outer Mongolia and Japan, which were dropped when compromise "package deal" was approved, may be added to list of new members next year.

worst"—in the same election and he was learning the hard way that his bourbon-and-branch water cronies weren't much help in running the Government. The party in Ohio was disorganized and Lausche had the reputation of being a lone wolf.

Nothing materialized that was worth Lausche's while and he returned home feeling very small potatoes. His coolness since toward Washington, its natives and its works, not to mention toward Truman has been marked.

In 1952, the Ohio delegation to the Democratic convention was widely split. On the first ballot it gave Kefauver 29½, Barkley 2½, Harriman 1, Kerr 1, Russell 7 and Stevenson 13. As a result it had no effect on the choices of the convention. Kefauver had gone into the Ohio primary. He is being urged to do so again but is restrained by commendable caution about tangling with favorite sons.

**Bug Bites Deeply.** Perhaps Lausche is now sincere in waving off the presidency. That bug bites deeply. He is certainly being practical

## British Press Calls U.N. Vote A U.S. Defeat

Failure to Control Chiang Blamed for Rejection of Japan.

LONDON, Dec. 16 (UP).

THE British press today interpreted Wednesday's Russian turnout on United Nations membership as a major diplomatic defeat for the United States.

"The unhappy Mr. Henry Cabot Lodge is trying to snatch a little prestige for the United States out of the Russian's brilliant diplomatic victory," the Manchester Guardian said.

"The United States has suffered an unmitigated diplomatic defeat in its unwavering support Chiang Kai-shek."

"Japan's rejection will be costly to the West."

"Both the United States and Nationalist China will pay in the next year by the latter's forcible exile from the United Nations, or at best by her shifting to a seat for Formosa while the Communists move into China's place."

The Times of London agreed that "Nationalist China's reckless gesture" had injured United States prestige.

"The United States is now in an awkward position because of its special relationship with Japan," the Times said.

"There is no denying that Japan would be a member of the United Nations today had Washington been able to control its most fractious ally."

"Russia may be trusted to make the most of the general feeling in favor of ousting Formosa at an early date in favor of the mainland of China."

"Russia is also likely to use the impending discussion of Japan as a lever in this matter, for it can thus bring pressure to bear upon the United States."

**Peiping Hails Vote as Step to Cut World Tension.** TOKYO, Dec. 16 (AP)—Admission of 16 new members to the United Nations was hailed by the Peiping radio today as "an achievement for the forces striving to reduce world tension."

The program, citing an article by the Kwangming Daily's commentator, said "the solution of this long-term impasse will make the United Nations give life to its principle of universality."

## HIGGINS — Russian Shortages Now Worse Than in U.S. During World War II

Double Socket Hard to Find—2 Classes of People: Shiny and Shabby—No Room in Some Homes for TV Set.

By MARGUERITE HIGGINS

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NEW YORK.

A REVEALING insight into the standard of living of ordinary Russians came as a by-product of a hunt throughout Moscow for a plain double electrical socket.

The hunt for the double socket and other requisites for a two-room office in the Metropole Hotel was my most vivid encounter with the atmosphere of shortages in certain types of consumer goods.

In the United States these items are available everywhere. For despite the real improvement in living standards in the Soviet Union over the past few years (they were very low to begin with) the atmosphere of shortages in many things is worse than anything the United States experienced during World War II. To get by comfortably in Moscow today you have to be a good scrounger; or you have to know somebody.

The question of a double socket became urgent after a Moscow cold snap. A small electric heater had been purchased for 38 rubles (\$5.50). My hotel had no heating because it was early October and winter was not "officially" in—therefore no heat. The trouble was caused by the fact that there was only one electric outlet in each room. Without a double socket you had to choose between plugging in the lamp and being able to see or plugging in the heater and being warm.

**Seven Attempts Failed.** When my assistant, Gustav Zimmonov, reported in late afternoon with the story that he had gone to seven different appliance stores without being able to find a double socket I was incredulous.

"Well then ask the hotel director for a double socket," I said, "he must have a way of getting such things."

Gustav said he had already tried that.

I decided I would do the shopping myself. At the first store carrying electrical appliances, the manager said he had received some double sockets several weeks ago but had sold out immediately. At the second store, a clerk said the last double socket had been sold the day before. After the third failure, I was accompanied out of the store by a pleasant-faced woman who when we were outside said,

"You are a foreigner and I'm sorry you are having such difficulties. We have a double socket for which we have no use. I will sell it to you. I live around the corner."

"Fine," I said, "how much will it cost?" "Well," she parried, "I had to pay extra to buy it. So I would have to charge you extra, too."

"Extra" was 20 rubles (\$5), making the entire deal 60 rubles (\$15).

**Many Black Markets.** My companion turned out to be a school teacher. She was married to a former boxing champion now a boxing coach and gymnasium instructor. They had two school-age girls.

"How is it?" I asked her, "that Russians can afford to pay 'extra' for so many things?"

"There were many black 'extra' markets in Moscow. If a Russian wanted a Pobeda automobile right away—instead of waiting 10 months—he could obtain it for something 'extra.' A little 'extra' brought a good fur coat whereas those in the stores were of mediocre quality. There is a black market in books, even in theater and ballet tickets."

"Well," replied the school teacher, "although things are much better than they used to be, people who have really good jobs can't find much to spend money on. And Moscow is full of people with money. I have read that you in America spend a lot on your homes. Here rents are fixed and very low. (Between 5 and 10 per cent of Russian monthly income)

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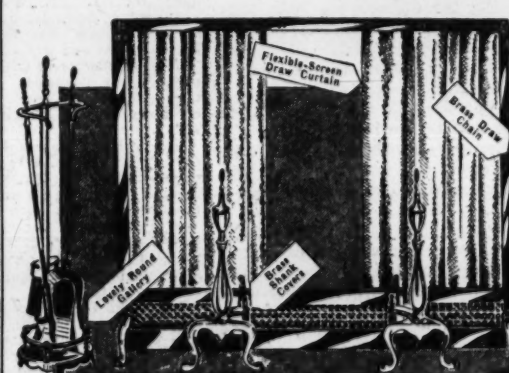
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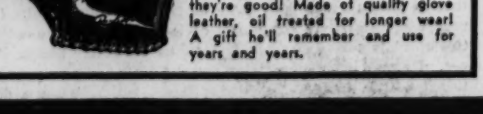


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April 10, 1907

Friday, December 16, 1955

## LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

## Outsiders Taking Over?

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I was much interested in Robert A. Dunlap's report on the Chamber of Commerce's proposed study of out-of-town control of old St. Louis firms.

Such a study is long overdue. Significant additions to Mr. Dunlap's list would include the following:

In the Old-Matheson merger it is probable that the balance of power moved from this vicinity to the east. Control of the Illinois Terminal is in the process of being transferred. And didn't a new group acquire control of the Katy within the last year—a group in which St. Louisans have little voice? Recently the general accounting and some of the executive offices of the Cotton Belt moved to Tyler, Tex.

The Chamber of Commerce is spending \$3000 to try to get better airline service for the city which once was the home office of American Airlines and Chicago & Southern. Apparently the only locally owned and operated hotels are those controlled by the Koplars and even these further inroads have been made.

Several years ago Clinton Industries sold its National Candy Co. division which has since moved to Chicago.

Liggett & Myers Tobacco has transferred its treasury's office from St. Louis to New York.

Within the last few years Warner-Hindman Inc. and Penney's have closed warehouses in St. Louis. Maybe the continued idleness of the huge Penney warehouse is symbolic of our "double" advantage which St. Louis once had of being an important distribution point may no longer exist.

Lambert Field was named in honor of a civic-minded industrialist but the Lambert Pharmaceutical Co. is now not much more than a branch of an organization controlled elsewhere.

Smaller enterprises taken over by outsiders include the Absentee Co. and Food Center stores, and probably there are a good many more.

If the Porter interests can come in and acquire first the Leschen Wire Rope Co. and more recently Laclede

Christy, why couldn't local buyers have done the same things?

Of course there could be particular reasons in a specific case why a certain property would be more valuable to one buyer than to another because of the supplementary nature of the lines, and so on. But when so many local companies or divisions of companies are acquired by outsiders in an unrelated business then there must be some fundamental reasons.

With all due respect to Civic Progress and the Chamber of Commerce I believe they are too close to be objective. Maybe they in their own affairs are too conservative.

Possibly we're a better defense from than an offensive one generally we've weathered the depression better and with less personal hardship than Chicago, Detroit, Cleveland, etc.

Whatever the reason I think an independent and honest appraisal by the Post-Dispatch with a courageous publication of the facts as you find them would be more beneficial.

About 25 years ago the late Charles Ross prepared a series of brilliant articles on "The Country's Plight." I believe it is time for such a series on the "City's Plight."

You have devoted many columns to the city's plight but that in part may be a reflection of the plight. At least there is some causal relationship between the B and the C.

CONCERNED.

## Dixon-Yates in the News

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Apparently we are to be favored from now on with journalism of the Three Monkeys variety—see no evil, hear no evil, speak no evil—especially where like, the G.O.P. and the public utilities are concerned.

To this witness the Kefauver investigation into the Dixon-Yates imbroglio. With its revelations of conflict of interest, underground maneuvering, false representations and chicanery in general this inquiry seemed to have some news value.

Evidently some of your esteemed contemporaries felt differently, for in their columns there has appeared not a line from start to finish.

Suggested motto for those papers: All the news we see fit to print. Also, after that exhibition of self-imposed censorship, let's have no wallings about freedom of the press.

DISGUSTED.

## It Might at That

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

It is also a pagan custom to celebrate birthdays. That should bar the whole Christmas eve parade in Henderson, Nev., much less Santa Claus whom the city fathers regard as a "pagan symbol." Might even bar Christmas eve. OLD PAGAN.

## H.S.T. No Asset

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Mr. Truman's time in the sun is over, and once again he is playing the personal political hack. It is difficult to understand, though, why anyone should be concerned because Mr. Truman fails to "cotton" to Mr. Stevenson.

Missouri's in particular should remember that Mr. Truman announced his support for their opponents when Senator Hennings and Senator Symington, two of the country's outstanding legislators, ran for office with marked success.

Mr. Truman's lack of enthusiasm for Adlai Stevenson is an asset not a liability. HELEN L. KREIGER, Columbia, Mo.

## Fill Out the Check

The case for passage of the \$75,000,000 state bond issue at the special Missouri election Jan. 24 is a strong one. That is becoming apparent as the citizens' committee to support the proposition, headed by President Elmer Ellis of the University of Missouri, gets its campaign under way.

Basically, the case for the bond issue rests on two premises—first, that the university, the teachers' colleges, the penitentiary and other state institutions unquestionably need \$75,000,000 worth of new buildings and in fact much more; second, that if the bond issue were rejected there would be a costly and perilous delay in meeting those undoubted needs.

How this works out for the University of Missouri is especially telling. University enrollment has gone up by 1000 students this year, even though the great bulge due to increasing school population is yet to come. Right now the university is using 20 old rooming houses, 18 barracks, five quonset huts and an old grocery store for temporary classrooms and offices.

By 1958, when the big increase in numbers of college-age children is scheduled to begin, facilities at Columbia will be even more inadequate. It will be 1958 or 1959 before any new buildings can be completed even if the bond issue is adopted Jan. 24. Should the bonds be rejected, the completion date for the first buildings would be pushed still further into the future. For in that event the Legislature probably would not reconsider the matter before 1957, and a new bond election could scarcely be held before late that year.

Thus in the university's case passage of the bond issue is necessary for the earliest possible start toward meeting already acute needs. Several hundred students were turned away last fall for lack of room, and it is not pleasant to think of those who would be turned away in 1956 and after, if nothing were done to prepare for them.

No doubt the five state colleges can make much the same argument for their building plans. The penal institutions and hospitals certainly can make the same for theirs. For all, the combination of present needs plus anticipated needs adds up to a strong case for the earliest possible start on construction.

On the other side, the main argument against the bond issue is, as we have noted before, the blank check character of the proposition. Voters will be asked to approve \$75,000,000 worth of buildings for the state institutions, but they will not know until after the Legislature has met next spring to divide up the money just which institution is to get what. How can the people be sure that the distribution of funds, if the bonds are approved, will be on the basis of real need and not political pressures?

Gov. Donnelly could go far to meet this objection if he would announce his own program, at least, for distributing the funds. And his own program would take on added esteem in the public eye if it reflected the views of a representative citizens' committee which made an objective study of relative construction needs at the various institutions and reached a judgment on the priorities that should govern expenditure.

The Governor could not commit the Legislature, which might or might not agree with his proposals, but he does have the power of veto. If he would tell the people in advance of the election what his own program for spending the \$75,000,000 would be, they could then have at least some idea of what they might be voting on. This would be better than nothing.

## Mayor Taft of Cincinnati

It will be interesting indeed to observe for the coming two years how an outstanding American goes about the work of serving as mayor of an outstanding American city. Cincinnati has shown admirable sense in choosing Charles P. Taft to head its municipal government. The choice is made by a nine-man city council elected by the people. Serving with Mr. Taft will be the first Negro vice mayor in Cincinnati's history, Theodore Berry, who has been a member of the council for many years.

Charles Taft stands for something fine and forward-looking in American life. This son of the twenty-seventh President of the United States, William Howard Taft, achieved distinction on his own account as genuinely as did his brother, the late Senator Robert A. Taft. A liberal Republican, Charles Taft has served twice on Cincinnati's city council and was his party's candidate for Governor in 1952.

He has served as president of the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America, as head of the 121-member committee which drew up a statement of economic ethics for the National Council of Churches, and as president of the National Trade Policy Committee formed to reduce trade barriers and expand world trade. His life adds up to the proposition that it is ethically necessary to strive to better our common lot. We look to a warming experience in seeing that proposition put into practice with Charles P. Taft at the helm of his city's government.

## Let's Watch the G.I. at Home Too

Every possible effort should always be made to protect the moral and general welfare of America's youth in the armed services. A high percentage of teen-agers—some only 17 years old—is to be found in the enlisted personnel. The services generally have accepted the responsibility of an overall watchfulness made necessary by the immaturity of these boys.

On that basis alone Representative Thomas B. Curtis (Rep.), Webster Groves, is wise in seeking a congressional investigation of what appears to him to be a lack of concern by the Air Force in this respect. Mr. Curtis believes that Brig. Gen. Wentworth Goss of Scott Air Force Base near Belleville "shows an ignorance" of what limitations should be placed on the freedom of young airmen who are permitted to "leave the base night after night." He cites the case of two young airmen who were arrested in St. Louis as suspects in a robbery, detained illegally without charges for several weeks and, he says, apparently abandoned by the Air Force to their fate.

It may well be asked why the base judge advocate or Gen. Goss did not check to see that these two youths, guilty or not, received the treatment they were entitled to. The mere fact that an enlisted man goes down on the morning report as "absent in the hands of the civil authorities" is no reason for him to be counted out. He may have gone astray because he failed to get a little guidance.

Great concern has been registered by the American Legion, the Veterans of Foreign Wars and a few Congressmen because a new treaty with 19 allied nations allows American servicemen who are accused of crimes off military bases to be tried in foreign courts. So far there has been no evidence of any miscarriage of judgment in these few cases, though Congressman

Charles Boyle (Dem.), Illinois, flew to Japan recently to observe the trial of four American soldiers accused of assaulting seven Japanese policemen.

In contrast, Congressman Curtis has discovered something right on his own doorstep in which the civil rights of two airmen have been disregarded, in which he considers American officials and officers may be at fault and in which there should be no great difficulty in arriving at means for making improvements.

## In Five Primaries

Adlai Stevenson is following accepted tactics for presidential candidates with his plans to enter five preference primaries. He is running where he has the best chance of winning. In California, Florida, Pennsylvania, Illinois and Minnesota he has strong organization support, and a strong popular following.

It would be wrong to suppose, however, that Gov. Stevenson is incurring no risks. Had he wished to adopt the tactics of the lead-pipe clinch he might have stayed out of any primaries at all. That is what Gov. Harriman is doing and that is what Gov. Stevenson was being advised to do by some of his supporters only a few weeks ago. Had he accepted this advice, the 1952 nominee could have been accused of fearing to test his strength at the ballot box. He was right to reject this counsel.

Once it had been decided to enter some primaries, the tactics of the lead-pipe clinch would have called for contests in Pennsylvania, Illinois and Minnesota, perhaps, but not necessarily in California and Florida. Though he has strength in the latter two states Gov. Stevenson is by no means absolutely sure of them.

It was not so long ago that Senator Kefauver was supposed to have California in his pocket. Only recently, as Gov. Stevenson's popular gains became manifest, did the Tennessee aspirant begin to complain of his prospects there. So too in Florida, which President Eisenhower carried in 1952, Gov. Stevenson will have to prove his vote-getting ability the hard way, whereas a Southern test in one of the states he carried might have been preferable had he been looking for a clinch.

The Stevenson tactics, in short, appear to be a reasonable blend of political prudence and political courage. He is giving all comers a fair shot at his kite in all sections of the country, and yet giving himself whatever breaks may be available within those circumstances. This is the course of what might be called, unless it be a dirty word, moderation.

## 'Fourteenth in Air Transport'

The Chamber of Commerce has approved a \$3000 survey of St. Louis's air transport needs, and this expenditure should go a long way toward proving the city's case in Washington for better service.

Last month a St. Louis delegation pointed out to the Civil Aeronautics Board that only one airline here offers direct flights to New York. Several cities which generate less traffic with New York offer direct flights on two or three airlines. Aloys P. Kaufmann, president of the Chamber, went on to say that St. Louis is second as a railroad center, second as a truck center, first as a center of inland waterways, but "fourteenth as an air transportation center."

There is no excuse for lagging in air service. Lambert-St. Louis Field is capable of handling heavy traffic and the new air terminal will soon be completed. St. Louis has the facilities; it needs service. Conclusive proof should develop from the Chamber of Commerce survey.

## In the Attlee Tradition

Hugh Gaitskell was elected to the British House of Commons only ten years ago. Today, if the Labor party were to return to power, he would become Prime Minister.

This explains why press dispatches refer to the "meteoric rise" of Labor's new parliamentary leader, and why the Conservative Daily Mail calls him "one of the most remarkable political phenomena of our time." Certainly his importance in the British Commonwealth commands him to world attention.

But the suddenness of Mr. Gaitskell's debut as Labor's leader does not spell sudden changes in Labor's policies or in British politics. Rather, the Gaitskell career suggests similarities with that of his predecessor, Clement Attlee, who recently retired.

Mr. Attlee was not the proletarian union leader, but a middle-class lawyer of formal education. Mr. Gaitskell did not exactly come from the ranks, either. His father and grandfather were civil servants and he went to an exclusive school. Mr. Attlee fell into party leadership in 1935 when Laborites sought to avoid a contest between Herbert Morrison and Ernest Bevin. Twenty years later, Mr. Gaitskell eclipsed the same Herbert Morrison and the left-wing leader, Aneurin Bevan, in the vote of party members in the House of Commons.

The Gaitskell success is a victory for restraint and for youth. At 49, Mr. Gaitskell is 18 years younger than the veteran Mr. Morrison. And as a follower of Mr. Attlee, he represents the majority wing of the party which has held the volatile Mr. Bevan in check. Labor has a new leader, but he was named to conduct the party along its traditional path.

## The Badge Makes the Man?

The Kansas City Star reports an argument between two men over a parking space during which one man flashed a badge (badges are always "flushed") and threatened to arrest the other. But when the second man demanded to see the badge, the first drove away in a hurry. The skeptical driver just happened to be a badge salesman.

Ever since St. Louis School Board members ordered gold-plated badges at \$69.50 apiece, we have wondered what makes people wear badges. The badge industry generally does not worry about this, since the desire pays off in thousands of dollars a year, but badge salesmen seem to work on several assumptions.

One is that people think badges make them important. Many organizations have discovered that badges assure the success of their ventures. And many citizens seem to feel that a badge—any badge—entitles them to special privileges, which is not necessarily so. In fact, it is rarely so.

Badges are for sale to all comers in several hundred designs, in many metals, from about two dollars up. It is even possible to buy a blank badge. The most popular badge is that of a private detective—but in Missouri anybody can buy a detective's badge of some sort. A private investigator wears no authority with his badge unless he has been legally deputized.

Juveniles, naturally, admire badges (Junior G-Men, space men, frontier marshals—anything). The best guess on the mystery of badge-wearing is that many people never outgrow the urge. Anybody can wear a badge. But badges do not have to cost \$69.50 to make the urge official.



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—From The Washington Post.

## The Madison Avenue Approach

Between Book Ends

The Mirror of Public Opinion

Milwaukee Journal agrees with President's order 'strengthening' conflict of interest rules but says claim this is new approach is 'huckster hokum'; new rules merely repeat what was already law, do not cover many business advisers in government.

From The Milwaukee Journal

To disagree with President Eisenhower's new order "strengthening" conflict of interest regulations for dollar-a-year men and experts serving government temporarily would be like indorsing sin.

But the hoopla accompanying the order and the implication that it's all something new and all-inclusive is just so much Madison avenue huckster hokum.

First, the President's order applies only to several hundred persons hired under the Defense Production Act.

Second, it stipulates mainly what was already written into the law by the last Congress and was already in effect.

Third, no step was taken to make the order cover hundreds of other part-time and advisory employees who do not come under the Defense Production Act.

The order is not as far reaching as the public had been given to expect when the Administration started, months ago, to set up a code governing business men in government.

A high point of the order is that affected employees shall be limited to advising full-time Government employees and bars them from making policy recommendations.

Last Aug. 9 the President signed an amended Defense Production Act which says that dollar-a-year men and temporary experts "shall, when policy matters are involved, be limited to advising full-time, salaried Government officials who are responsible for making policy decisions."

This was a compromise by the Administration to block Democratic efforts to ban use of dollar-a-year men.

The order also bars such experts from making recommendations on matters involving companies with which they have or have had any connection.

The amended Defense Production Act wrote that into law. Regular, full-time employees have long been thus regulated.

The President's order goes further than the law requires in some minor respects.

For instance, now dollar-a-year men and temporary consultants can be hired only after detailed information on their necessity is filed with the Federal Register. The order requires more detail and also requires publication in the Federal Register.

To the extent that the order gives emphasis to the law, it's all to the good. But it's disturbing to see again a logical action given false emphasis and interpretation. The President's press secretary, James Hagerty, is quoted as saying that the order would cover such cases as that of Adolph H. Wenzell, who served a dual role as adviser on the Dixon-Yates power contract.

Attorneys who prepared the order say that it won't. Wenzell was not hired under the Defense Production Act. Neither will it cover cases such as those of former Air Secretary Talbot, former Interstate Commerce Commission Chairman Cross, or former Public Buildings Administrator Strobel. This despite Associated Press reports to the contrary.

Here, whatever the implications and interpretations of the Administration, is no new cure-all for cases of conflict of interest. It will still take vigilance, care in selecting officials and insistence on elemental honesty to avoid corruption.

The Administration would inspire more confidence if it would deal with these matters in a more straightforward way, instead of using its souped up public relations approach which many persons will suspect is aimed at kidding the public.

Representative Celler (Dem.), New York, chairman of the House Judiciary subcommittee, properly calls the order "window dressing." He told The Milwaukee Journal that his subcommittee intends to push for an order covering all business advisers in government. It will also try to find out why the President's new order falls so far as the Administration earlier indicated that it would go in banning conflict of interest throughout government.

## Philosopher of Liberalism

THE LIFE OF JOHN STUART MILL, by Michael St. John Packe, (Macmillan, 567 pp., \$4.50).

It seems most extraordinary that during a period of eighty years after his death no satisfactory biography of this eminent Victorian philosopher and liberal was written. Mill, however, left behind him a very distinguished "Autobiography," and it may well be that the popularity of this work had some part in discouraging others from attempting to draw a fuller picture of his life.

Students and admirers have long felt the need of a more complete picture, for although Mill has been known from his great works on logic and political economy as a precocious scholar and liberal philosopher, knowledge of him as a human being has been lacking.

It is this deficiency which Mr. Packe supplies so splendidly in his biography. He seems to have made use of all available sources, extensive and not only the famous Mill-Taylor letters but also numerous collections which have become available only within recent years. References to these sources, however, have very appropriately been relegated to an appendix, and hence do not encumber the narrative.

A fascinating account of the Mill family background is presented with an interesting characterization of James Mill, who made his son, John Stuart, the subject of a unique educational experiment. The influence of the great utilitarian philosopher, Jeremy Bentham, at whose home the Mill family lived for a while, is related in vivid detail. George Grote, historian of Greece, Harriet Martineau, Auguste Comte, Alexis de Tocqueville, Herbert Spencer, and other nineteenth century luminaries who came into contact with Mill, are brought to life again. An account of the intense friendship with Thomas Carlyle, which later changed to a bitter enmity, is presented in rich detail.

The very unusual friendship between Mill and the brilliant Mrs. Harriet Taylor is narrated and described with a penetrating insight. Was this long and rather close association with the wife of another man entirely Platonic? To this question which has aroused the curiosity of both friend and foe of the philosopher, Mr. Packe gives a provocative discussion and a tentative answer. The author may be criticized for introducing his characters on the stage without a fuller description of nineteenth century thought as scene and setting. When it is considered, however, that most of the readers of "The Life of John Stuart Mill" will probably be persons who already have some familiarity with nineteenth century history and literature, this is certainly a minor, if not an entirely justifiable, omission.

Mr. Packe has written a very readable book, which is likely to remain the definitive biography of its subject.

L. SIMINGTON CURTIS.

## Old West Was Small Potatoes

THE BLACK DONNELLYS, by Thomas F. Kelly, (New American Library, 25c).

The Hatfields and the McCoys, famed in song and story, were pretty small potatoes compared to the Canadian Black Donnellys. Their story, written by a Canadian and now published in this country for the first time, outdoes anything the Old West could show. For something like 25 years the Donnelly clan terrorized the district of Lucan, Ontario, and turned it into a national plague-spot. The outcome was inevitable. On a snowy night in February, 1880, a posse of determined citizens surrounded the Donnelly house and massacred the five people in it. That was the end of the Donnellys. It's a bloody and bizarre story that loses nothing in the telling. And is law-abiding Canada, too!

## Pigskin Parlane

Eddie Finley in the Columbia (S.C.) Record

A brief dictionary of words popular as morale builders to the football team on the short end of a lopsided score: Unbowed: Close, but you lost. Scrampy: Made a touchdown on the opponent's fourth team.

Outmanned: Almost scored in a lopsided whitewashing.

Game: Took the ball up to midfield—once.

Fearless: Racked up a first down. Daring: Recovered a fumble.

Valiant: Kept 11 men out there all the time. Gallant: Fielded a team when you knew better. Plucky: 99 to 0.

HINT TO ADVERTISERS. From Hutchison (Kan.) News-Herald. What merchant will get the jump on his fellows by being the first to advertise Dec. 21 as a Christmas gift exchange day?



# THOMAS L. STOKES

A Trickle From the Surplus

WASHINGTON. IT IS the custom to repeat here every now and again a wise remark made some years ago by the intrepid Sir John Boyd Orr, the great Scotsman, a citizen of the world, who was first head of the United Nations Food and Agriculture Organization.

It was to the effect that the world is not making even a beginning in solving its problems until it has made it possible for a very human being on the globe to get enough to eat every day. So simple a goal and yet so difficult to reach.

How difficult, we see from the gaunt statistics showing that about half of John Boyd Orr the earth's inhabitants go to bed hungry every night. A grim thought for this season and especially grim when we think of our own plenty represented in surpluses of food for which we are about to exhaust storage space. We must keep storing it away while millions go hungry—some, incidentally, right here, at home on our own doorsteps.

## Curse to Blessing.

Keeping it locked-up has two very practical disadvantages, aside from the humanitarian question. One is that the vast surplus hangs over our markets to depress prices. The other is that the storage is costing us the staggering sum of \$1,000,000 a day, or \$365,000,000 a year, a bill we taxpayers must meet.

If we could get our surplus food distributed where it is needed, we could, on the positive side, turn this curse of plenty into a blessing, for nothing can make friends so quickly for us all over the world as feeding hungry people. We need friends and more friends, if we are to preserve for ourselves, and spread to others, the free system which itself makes it possible for us to grow so much food and to make so much of everything else that we and the rest of the world need.

## Released for Charity.

It truly is defeatism to take the road of reducing production. What we are challenged to do is to lick the problem of distribution. In fact until we, who pride ourselves so on our ability to lick any problem, can solve this problem of distribution of our plenty, then we really can't begin to meet our responsibilities, or fulfill our role as the leader of the free peoples of the world.

It is encouraging now to be able to report some small progress, which came in Secretary of Agriculture Benson's announcement of release of surplus organizations, both domestic and foreign, of as much surplus wheat, corn, rice and dried beans as they can distribute, for which they have to pay

WASHINGTON.

only the cost of distribution abroad. Under existing law, as amended twice in the last three years, the Government meets the other costs of re-processing and transportation in this country to ports of departure.

An estimate based on the capacities of the charitable organizations which will participate is that they will be able to handle some 750,000,000 to 800,000,000 pounds of wheat and corn in 1956, of which about 500,000,000 pounds will be in wheat and wheat flour.

## Only a Trickle.

This represents only a trickle from our vast stock. For 300,000,000 pounds of wheat translate into 8,000,000 bushels—and the amount of wheat owned by the Government as of Oct. 31 was 920,000,000 bushels in which the Government invested \$2,500,000,000.

Stocks of corn owned by the Government total 700,000,000 bushels of which the cost was \$1,200,000,000, while the Government owns 6,300,000 bales of cotton which cost it \$1,100,000,000. The Government also owns \$177,000,000 of which \$18,000,000 in dried beans. This is not the entire surplus. The Commodity Credit Corporation holds other large amounts on loan.

During the past year the Government disposed of \$1,700,000,000 in surplus agricultural commodities by the various means permitted under the law, which include barter and sale as well as the charitable distribution used this week.

## Capehart Offers Plan.

In addition to religious organizations which participate, there is also CARE which has long been in the field of distributing packages of food that are paid for by individual donors. CARE expects to distribute 2,000,000 packages containing 40,000,000 pounds of surplus farm products for an estimated cost of \$12,000,000 through the Christmas season. Still needed is a grand scale distribution, for which our Government should be capable of devising ways and means. Another effort in this direction was announced recently by Senator Capehart (Rep., Ind.), who is having bill drafted to set up an "International Food Community Fund" and a board to administer it and to distribute our surpluses. It would be comparable to the Community Chest funds familiar in our cities. Details still are to be worked out.

It is a complicated problem, but should not be beyond our solution, else we hardly match in intelligent planning our impulse of charity.

## RECORD MAIL TOTAL LIKELY IN U.S. THIS MONTH

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16 (AP)—The Post Office Department estimated today it will handle something more than 17 million pieces of mail in the final quarter of this year.

The figure, about a billion pieces higher than for the last three months of 1954, amounts to an average of more than 300 pieces for every family in America.

This month's deliveries alone, reflecting the holiday rush, are expected to reach a record of about 7,330,000,000 pieces, or 2 1/2 billion above the normal 1955 month. The December handle last year totaled 6,900,000,000 pieces.

Postmaster General Summerfield urged in a statement that return addresses be put on Christmas cards.

"For some obscure reason," he said, "many persons seem to feel it is bad taste to put a return address on Christmas cards. Actually, it is in the best of taste. It saves friends and acquaintances much time and effort in keeping their mailing lists up to date and assures the sender, if he uses three-cent postage, that he will know if a greeting is not deliverable."

## LUTHERAN DENOMINATIONS MEET ON PLAN TO UNITE

CHICAGO, Dec. 16 (AP)—Delegates of the United Lutheran Church in America and the Augustana Lutheran Church met today to draft an invitation to the 14 other Lutheran denominations in the United States to discuss with them the possibility of organic union.

The Augustana Lutheran Church representatives are the commission on ecumenical relations. Their leader is Dr. Oscar A. Benson of Minneapolis, president of the church. Dr. Franklin Clark Fry, president of the United Lutheran Church in America, heads its eight delegates. All are members of the church's commission on relations to American Lutheran church bodies.

The two churches meeting today have a combined membership of nearly 2,750,000. The largest of all Lutheran bodies in the United States is the United Lutheran Church in America. The Augustana Lutheran Church is the fifth largest. Two other Lutheran bodies, the American Evangelical Lutheran Church and the Finnish Evangelical Church (Suomi Synod), have indicated they will take part in the discussion to be proposed at today's session.

Santa Claus a Barber. CHICAGO, Dec. 16 (UPI)—Barber Bernard Zukowski has found a way to keep children quiet while he cuts their hair. He dresses like Santa Claus.

# MUCH ADVICE ON AID TO AILING UHF TV

Tax Concessions Proposed — FCC Urged to Keep Education Channels.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16 (AP)—The Federal Communications Commission received a wide variety of advice yesterday on what it should do about the economic ills of some segments of the television industry.

The advice dealt particularly with the newer UHF (ultra high frequency) operations on Channels 14 through 34.

The suggestions ranged from outright abandonment of the 70 UHF channels created in 1952—provided additional VHF (very high frequency) channels can be made available—to special tax considerations for the UHF field.

## 21-Million Lead.

In connection with the tax help proposal, Radio Corporation of America and its subsidiary, National Broadcasting Co., said that when UHF came into being three years ago, VHF had a "21-million-receiver lead" because all television until then was on VHF Channels 2 through 13.

Perhaps the most concerted cry raised in the comments filed with FCC was the demand that, if channels are to be rearranged, the 242 channel reservations for strictly educational use not be disturbed. The National Association of Educational Broadcasters said that "whatever steps are taken to alleviate the problems of commercial TV, nothing should be done which in any way would jeopardize" the educational reservations.

The association was joined in this request by the broadcasting and film commission of the National Council of Churches of Christ, the Southern Regional Educational Board, the newly merged AFL-CIO and others. The comments filed with FCC stemmed from the action of the commission on Nov. 10 in dismissing 30 applications which were designed to end the mixture of VHF and UHF channels in individual communities. New UHF stations have had difficulty competing on a nationwide basis and ask for views from all interested parties.

In general, VHF stations responding to the invitation to comment urged that nothing be done to reduce their present service areas.

Protected Areas. In general, UHF operators asked that they be allowed to function in areas protected from VHF competition.

Two companies now proposing subscription television systems, Skiatron Electronics of New York City and Zenith Radio Corp. of Chicago, suggested that pay-TV offered the way out for stations which found advertising revenues insufficient. Zenith said this plan should be tried at least for a two-year experimental period.

RCA-NBC proposed that the commission ask Congress to repeal the excise tax on TV sets.

It suggested that perhaps this should have priority. MME. SUN YAT-SEN ARRIVES IN INDIA TO VISIT NEHRU

CALCUTTA, India, Dec. 16 (AP)—Mme. Sun Yat-sen, widow of the founder of the Chinese republic, stopped here briefly today en route to New Delhi for a two-week tour of India as Prime Minister Nehru's guest.

Mme. Sun is one of six vice chairmen of Communist China's government council and a deputy in the Red Chinese congress. She was invited to India by Nehru when he visited Peking last year.

She is sister of Mme. Chiang Kai-shek, wife of the president of Nationalist China.

## ANDREW J. HAYERSTICK FUNERAL TO BE TOMORROW

Funeral services for Andrew J. Haverstick, an attorney here for 53 years, will be tomorrow at 2 p.m. at the Ambrose undertaking establishment, 6633 Clayton road, Clayton, with burial in St. Peter's Cemetery.

Mr. Haverstick, 77 years old, died of heart disease yesterday at this home, 6819 Waterman avenue, University City. A 1901 graduate of Washington University Law School, he practiced law until ill health caused his retirement in September, 1953. He was alderman of the Fourth Ward in University City for four years and a member of that city's Board of Appeals for 16 years.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Henrietta B. Haverstick; a son, A. Henry Haverstick; a daughter, Mrs. William H. White Jr., and a sister, Miss Rose Haverstick.

## JULIUS RUDMAN ESTATE INVENTORIED AT \$179,369

The estate of Julius Rudman, president of the Acme Laundry & Dry Cleaning Co., was valued at \$179,369 in an inventory filed yesterday at a court in St. Louis.

Principal assets included a 35 per cent partnership in the laundry company, valued at \$109,000; stocks worth \$47,538 on today's market, and notes and interest of \$11,766.

Under the terms of his will, filed previously, half of the estate was left to his wife, Mrs. Rebecca Rudman, 7286 Princeton avenue, University City, and the other half was left in trust for four daughters and will be turned over to them when they reach the age of 21. The daughters are Mrs. Barbara L. Savitsky of Olivette, and the Misses Marilyn, Lois Jean and Myrna Rudman of the Princeton avenue address.

# Eugene Field House Display



Dolls and other toys of late nineteenth century on display in Christmas setting at old home of poet Eugene Field, 634 South Broadway. Playthings are those used by the poet's children or are of that period. Annual Christmas display at the home, a Board of Education museum open to the public, was completed yesterday and will be on view through Christmas week.

## PRINCE RAINIER LANDS, 'MIGHT' FIND U.S. BRIDE

NEW YORK, Dec. 16 (UPI)—Prince Rainier III, handsome ruler of the principality of Monaco, conceded today he "might" find an American girl to take as a bride although he wasn't "actively" seeking a wife.

One of the world's most eligible bachelors, the 32-year-old ruler of a 370-acre kingdom on the French Riviera arrived here aboard the liner United States for a visit that may last two months.

The Prince insisted to reporters that he was here only in the role of a tourist.

"I am not actively seeking a wife," the Prince said. "She has to have many qualities because I'm a horrible character."

At the moment, the Prince said, he has no romantic interest in any girl, and that included American actress Grace Kelly. He entertained her in his palace during the Cannes film festival. The Prince was accompanied by Father Francis Tucker, his chaplain and closest friend.

## Paul Harvey, Actor, Dies

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 16 (AP)—Paul Harvey, character actor in scores of movies since 1917, died in his sleep yesterday. He was 71 years old. A physician said death was caused by a coronary thrombosis. Harvey was recording secretary of the Screen Actors Guild and had been an officer or director of the guild since 1935.

## NEIGHBOR WITH 5 CHILDREN TAKES IN FAMILY OF 13

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Dec. 16 (AP)—Thirteen members of a family, left destitute by a fire which destroyed their home and belongings, have been sheltered by a neighbor woman living with five children in a two-room house.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. John Conley burned yesterday at nearby Hixson while Mrs. Conley was in Chattanooga with 10 of her 11 children receiving Christmas gift shoes, arranged for, the children by the Hixson school.

The Conleys were taken in by Mrs. Mary Plank, who is separated from her husband. "As long as we can crowd them in and I've got a breath in my body, these children are not going to be outside in the cold," Mrs. Plank said.

The 11 Conley children range in age from 1 to 15 years and include 4-year-old twins. Colin Tennant to Marry. LONDON, Dec. 16 (AP)—The Hon. Colin Tennant, 29-year-old son of Lord Glenconner, is engaged to marry Lady Anne Coke, 23, daughter of the Earl of Leicester, it was announced today. Tennant once was a frequent escort of Princess Margaret. His bride-to-be, also a friend of the royal family, was a maid of honor at the coronation of Queen Elizabeth II.

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# SAYS SOVIET LIVING STANDARD IS RISING

Nebraska U. Dean Tells of His Farm Tour of Russia.

Russia is making progress both on farms and in cities, and the people's standard of living, measured against pre-revolution days is greatly improved, W. V. Lambert, one of 12 members of an American delegation which made an agricultural tour of Russia last summer, said here last night.

Addressing a dinner meeting of the farm implements and rental association at the Chamber of Commerce of Metropolitan St. Louis, at Le Chateau restaurant, Lambert said living conditions in Russia are comparable to those found in the Midwest in the 1880s.

Dean of the agricultural college at the University of Nebraska, he explained that Russian farmers live in villages, on ground provided by the government, and share in the profits of a collective farm after tax deductions and rental fees for equipment, all of which is owned by the government.

He said modern conveniences such as electricity and indoor plumbing are virtually nonexistent in farmers' homes. As modern as those found here, he related, but are much larger and more cumbersome. In agricultural research, a field in which Lambert is an expert, the Russians are doing a good job, he said.

Reporting on other aspects of life in Russia, the speaker said almost all children of pre-school age are kept in day nurseries operated by the government because their mothers work. "At least 50 per cent of the labor force is made up of women," he said.

In education, Moscow University is graduating many trained specialists with little background in the humanities, he said, warning that the United States may find itself "out-gunned" in providing skilled scientists.

## FUNERAL SERVICES HELD FOR RUSSELL B. WOOLLEY

Funeral services for Russell B. Woolley, certified public accountant here for 17 years, were held today at Lupton undertaking establishment, 7233 Delmar boulevard, University City. Burial was in Oak Grove Cemetery.

Mr. Woolley died of a heart ailment Tuesday in his office in the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. building, 1010 Pine street. He was 60 years old, and lived at 8112 Pershing avenue, Clayton. Born in Arcola, Ill., Mr. Woolley joined Lybrand Ross Brothers & Montgomery accounting firm in Chicago in 1926, and came to their office here 12 years later. He had handled the Southwestern Bell account almost exclusively since he had been here.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Pearl Hankins Woolley; three sons, Bruce, Richard and Douglas Woolley; and a sister, Mrs. James Heacock, Kansas City.

# Speaks Here



By a Post-Dispatch Photographer, W. V. LAMBERT

## MISSOURI U. SUBMITS BUILDING PROGRAM

\$26,550,000 Requested for University and \$4,925,000 for Rolla School.

COLUMBIA, Mo., Dec. 16 (UP)—A proposed building program calling for \$26,550,000 for the University of Missouri and \$4,925,000 for its School of Mines at Rolla was submitted yesterday to Gov. Phil M. Donnelly by the university.

The proposal was sent in response to a request from the Governor for information as to school needs for his use in allocating funds from the proposed \$75,000,000 state bond issue if it is approved by the voters Jan. 24.

However, Dr. Elmer Ellis, president, emphasized that the needed funds are only a part of the university's expected needs in the next 20 years.

## HUBERT C. SMITH FUNERAL SERVICE TO BE TOMORROW

Funeral services for Hubert C. Smith, former owner and president of Casper Steele Bedding Co. here, will be at 10:30 a.m. tomorrow at Alexander & Sons undertaking establishment, 6175 Delmar boulevard. Burial will be in Valhalla Cemetery.

Mr. Smith, 82 years old, owned the company for 33 years until 1950 when he retired and sold the firm. He is a charter member of the Downtown Kiwanis Club and a member of the Magnolia Masonic Lodge. He lived at 5646 Bancroft avenue.

Mr. Smith died yesterday at Deaconess Hospital after a long illness. Surviving is his wife.

## DOROTHY BERNARD DIES

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 16 (AP)—Dorothy Bernard, the Irish cook in the "Life With Father" television series, died yesterday after a heart attack. She was 61 years old. She originated the role on Broadway. She also served as an associate editor of Harper's Bazaar Magazine from 1924-29.

# BRAZILIAN TO LEAD SYMPHONY CONCERT

Heitor Villa-Lobos Will Share Podium With Golschmann.

Heitor Villa-Lobos of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, will be guest conductor of the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra in concert at 8:40 p.m. tomorrow at 3 p.m. Sunday in Kiel Auditorium, sharing the podium with Vladimir Golschmann, the regular conductor and music director. Villa-Lobos, who is Brazil's leading composer and author of nearly 1500 musical works, is here to honor Golschmann, now in his twenty-fifth year as leader of the orchestra.

In the first half of each concert Golschmann will conduct Handel's "Faithful Shepherd" suite, Honegger's "Pastorale d'Eté," and Strauss's "Death and Transfiguration."

In the last half, Villa-Lobos will conduct in two of his own compositions, "Erosao" ("The Origin of the Amazon River") and Choros No. 6. Neither has been played here before.

Tickets are on sale daily in the auditorium lobby and at the Aeolian Co. ticket offices at 1004 Olive street and 7754 Forsyth boulevard in Clayton. Prices are from \$1 to \$3.

## FUNERAL TO BE TOMORROW FOR MRS. WILLIAM WITHNELL

Funeral services for Mrs. William W. Withnell, former St. Louisan, will be at 9:30 a.m. tomorrow at the Donnelly undertaking establishment, 3840 Lindell boulevard. Burial will be in Calvary Cemetery.

Mrs. Withnell died of infirmities Wednesday at Loretta, Fla. She was 97 years old. She was the former Miss Cecile Haydel, whose family settled here in 1834. Mrs. Withnell moved to Florida in 1921 with her husband, who died in 1929. She lived with a daughter, Mrs. Dickson B. Gonzalez.

Survivors include three other daughters, Mrs. Richard G. Hager and Mrs. William A. LeMaster, both of St. Louis county, and Mrs. Charles P. Barqueter, New Orleans.

## GERMAN-AMERICAN BANK BUILDING BEING TORN DOWN

The old German-American Bank Building, erected in 1884 at the southwest corner of Fourth street and Franklin avenue, is now being dismantled for wrecking by the Missouri Highway Commission.

Dr. William G. Swokosky, St. Louis dentist whose hobby is the history of old buildings, said the bank building was noted for its marble steps leading to the second floor, an enormous cornice of metal, and its fine iron gates.

The German-American Bank sold the building in 1916 when it moved to Fourth street and Washington avenue. It was renamed the Liberty Building when the United States entered World War I against Germany.

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## RUSSIA SUFFERS FROM CONSUMER GOODS SHORTAGES

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goes into rent.) Unless you are an important official space is assigned by square feet. My husband and I would much rather pay more rent if we could get additional space but the housing board won't give it to us.

Between the two of them, she said, their combined salaries and bonuses came to 4000 rubles a month.

"Clothes? Yes, they are expensive. But there isn't very much to get dressed up for. As for the price of food it is getting cheaper all the time."

No Space for TV.  
 "What about television sets, radios, etc? Is it true they are coming down in price?"  
 "Yes," the Russian woman replied, "but many people who have money can't buy them because they just don't have the space. In our house the girls must study in the evening and there is only one main room."

There is no place for us to look at TV.  
 When we reached her ground-floor apartment, the Russian woman hesitated. I don't think she would have invited me in had I not said, "I have a very bad cold. Could I come in while you look for the socket?"  
 It was a neat, clean two-room apartment with bargain-basement quality furniture. The main room—about 11 feet by 11—served as a living room, dining room, playroom, study and bedroom. In the evening two slender couches were turned into beds. In the center of the room was a rectangular cloth-covered table over which hung a lamp covered with a green cloth. The luxury was a small upright piano.

"Do you play?" I asked.  
 "Yes," she said. "I studied a while at the conservatory. But I also can play some American jazz."

Tiny Room for Girls.  
 A tiny second room served as bedroom for her two daughters, who were not yet home from school. In it was a wardrobe, two small beds and a table. The kitchen was shared with two other families.

Before handing me the double socket the Russian woman said, "Let me just try it to make sure it works."  
 It didn't. Embarrassed, the Russian woman said, "It must have become defective through lying about."

The hotel office did get a double socket, after all. I obtained it from the director of the Metropole to whom I wrote a letter saying in part:  
 "I am an American journalist assigned to write about conditions in the Soviet Union. In the past few days I have had the privilege of visiting your atomic power station, which is an impressive display of modern machinery and engineering techniques. I read in your newspapers of the accomplishments of Russian science and technology. How am I to explain to the American people the inability to procure a simple item like a double socket?"

The double socket was produced some five days later, but this of course was not a satisfactory answer to the question.  
 Two Distinct Russias.  
 The real answer is that there are two separate and distinct Russias. There is the "Priority A" Russia of the atomic power stations, the hydrogen bombs and the new intercontinental jets. Into this Russia, which is the best engineering, the best materials, the best thinking, the best planning.  
 Russia today is still on a war economy basis in the sense that a higher proportion of its national income goes into armaments and heavy industry—steel, coal and iron than any other country in the world. This great effort has to be made at the expense of the majority—those who live in "Priority B" Russia. "Priority B" Russia gets what is left over. It is the shabby village with its shabbily-clad men and women that is situated right next door to the shiny new atomic energy station.  
 The Russian woman there has been so much confusion about Russia

that many foreigners confuse the two Russias and tend to underestimate the efficiency of "Priority A" Russia because of the continued existence of "Priority B" Russia.

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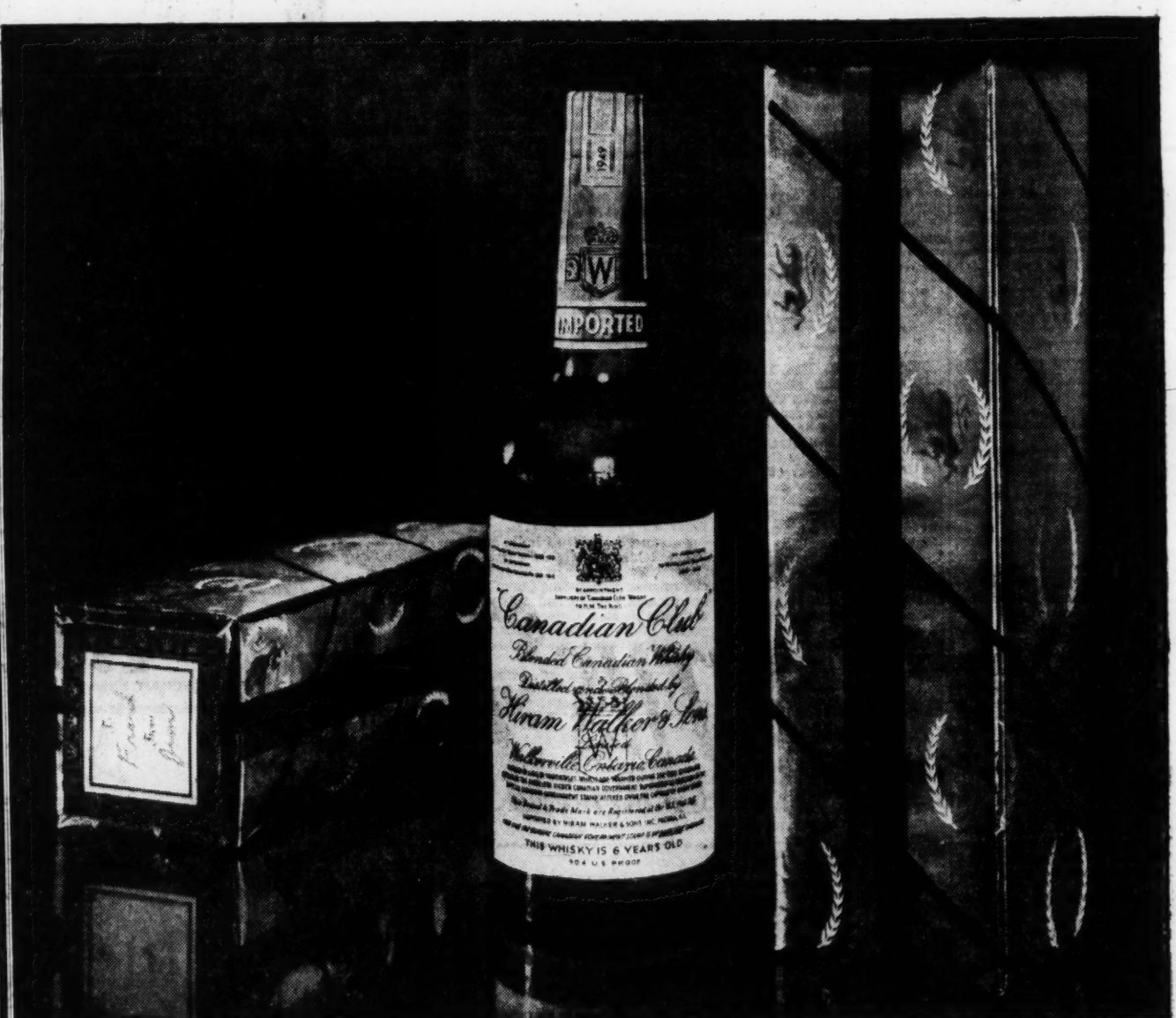
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## WELL SEARCH GIVEN UP IN MURDER CASE

Inspection of Six in Carlyle  
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Results.

A search of wells in the vicinity of Carlyle, Ill., in the hope of finding more evidence in the murder of Mr. and Mrs. Harold A. Smith of Lebanon, Ill., was abandoned today following inspection of six of them without positive results. The last one emptied of debris is about a quarter of a

mile from the one where Smith's body was found Dec. 9, about 13 miles northeast of Carlyle. A white object seen by flashlight Wednesday night turned out yesterday to be a wad of paper.

A bedspread and several throw rugs missing from the Smith home still have not been found, and neither has Fillmore Young's bloody clothing that he said he threw into the Kaskaskia river near Carlyle.

Young, a Negro, has admitted shooting the Smiths and said he had an accomplice, a man, but will not name him.

Three former woman friends of Young were to be questioned by St. Clair county deputy sheriffs today, for the purpose of learning more about his activities and associates.

A preliminary hearing for the

accused man had been scheduled for today but it was postponed for a week. The county public defender, C. R. Brady, has been appointed to represent him.

## TRUST COMPANY OFFICER

Hord W. Hardin, a partner in the law firm of Shepley, Kroeger, Fisse & Shepley, has been elected a vice president of the St. Louis Union Trust Co., David R. Calhoun Jr., president, announced yesterday.

Hardin will head the corporate trust department of the trust company upon the retirement next year of H. J. Miller, vice president, who is now in charge of that department.

## PAPER BAG PRICE FIXING IS CHARGED

21 Large Firms Named in  
Complaint by  
FTC.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16 (AP)—The Federal Trade Commission accused 21 of the country's largest paper bag manufacturers yesterday of an illegal conspiracy to fix the prices of multi-wall paper shipping sacks.

The commission said the firms account for "substantially all" of the \$200,000,000 yearly sales of reinforced sacks used for feed, fertilizer, cement, sugar and other bulk products.

The PTC complaint said the companies use the same pricing formula, so that all customers pay the same delivered price regardless of freight costs. A "delivered basing price system" is used which divides the country into two zones; all buyers in a zone are charged the same freight regardless of the distance the sacks are hauled, PTC said.

The complaint names the St. Regis Paper Co. of New York City; Bemis Brothers Bag Co., Boston; Arkell & Smiths, Canajoharie, N.Y.; Chase Bag Co., New York City; Thomas Phillips Co., Akron, O.; Raymond Bag Co., Middletown, O.; Universal Paper Bag Co., New Hope, Pa.; Hudson Pulp & Paper Corp., New York City; National Container Corp., New York City; International Paper Co., New York City; Fulton Bag and Cotton Mills, Atlanta, Ga.; Albemarle Paper Manufacturing Corp., Richmond, Va.; Ames-Harris-Neville Co., San Francisco; Crown Zellerbach Corp., San Francisco; Gilman Paper Co., New York City; Seaboard Bag Corp., Richmond, Va.; Lone Star Bag and Bagging Co., Houston, Tex.; Union Bag and Paper Corp., New York City; Virginia-Carolina Chemical Corp., Richmond, Va.; Chemical Packaging Co., Savannah, Ga.; Equitable Paper Bag Co., Long Island City, N.Y.

107-Year-Old Paper Quits.

SHEPHERDSTOWN, W. Va., Dec. 16 (AP)—The Shepherdstown Register, 107-year-old weekly, announced yesterday it was suspending publication.

William B. Snyder Jr., editor and publisher, whose father and grandfather published the Register, said the suspension is necessary because of excessive production costs.

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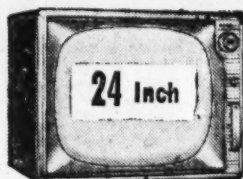


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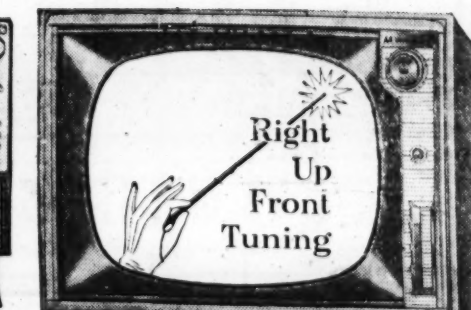
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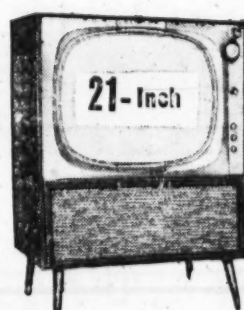
Budget-priced 24" console—Big Screen at low price. De Luxe modern styling in Mahogany or Blond wood finish, with handsome Right-Up-Front tuning panel. Eye-Conditioned throughout. Model 24K9.

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Dec. 16, 1955

Teds Motors and Auffenberg's St. Louis Motors, two of the largest Plymouth Dealers in St. Louis, have become seriously alarmed at the confusing advertising practices in the automobile business today. These two Plymouth dealers have pledged their combined reputation of 45 years of fair dealing to combat this form of advertising with every facility at their combined command. Teds Motors and Auffenberg's St. Louis Motors therefore make this following pledge:

"WE MUTUALLY AGREE AND STATE IN THIS PAID PUBLIC NOTICE THAT WE WILL PRESENT TO THE ST. LOUIS PUBLIC NOTHING BUT STRAIGHTFORWARD AND HONEST ADVERTISING."

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**OUR PRICE**—Contrary to what you may have been led to believe by some misleading advertising, it is our belief that it is impossible for any dealer to sell at less than a \$75.00 profit per car.

**OUR TRADE ALLOWANCE**—We can and will give you the top Actual Trade Allowance for your car because: Ted's Motors and Auffenberg's St. Louis Motors feed Auffenberg's Multi-Used Car Outlets with trade-ins. These outlets are St. Louis' Largest Used Car operations. Now, it stands to reason that with such a ready market for Used Cars, we can give you the top Actual Trade Allowance.

### THE REASON YOU SHOULD BUY NOW

- (1) We will sell you a new Plymouth for \$75 over our cost during this slow (out-of-season) period.
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- (3) It is reasonable to deduct from the above, that if the price is considerably less now (\$75 over cost), your used car is worth more today (depreciates daily), you will save considerably by buying now plus the fact you will have use of a new car in the coming months.

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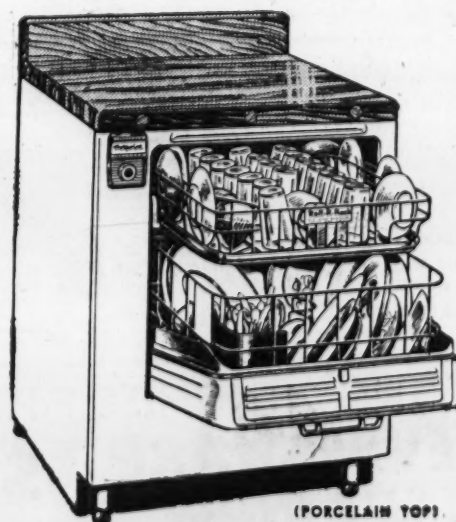
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Dec. 16, 1955

ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH

**Race Track Union Ruling.**  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 16 (AP)—The National Labor Relations Board today reaffirmed a policy against holding union elections among employees at race tracks.

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ON ALL WATCHES PURCHASED NEW, OR REPAIRED BY US...  
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## EVATT HAS KEPT HIS SEAT IN HOUSE; LIBERALS CONCEDE

SYDNEY, Australia, Dec. 16 (AP)—Dr. Herbert V. Evatt, the Labor party leader, has won a neck-and-neck race for his old seat in the House of Representatives.

Liberals conceded today Evatt had survived the Liberal-Country party landslide in the general election last Saturday and

won the Barton seat by from 100 to 200 votes over his Liberal opponent, W. T. Arthur.

It looks as if the Liberal-Country party coalition of Prime Minister Robert G. Menzies will have 76 seats, Labor 43 and Independents 1 in the new House. In the old House the coalition had only a 64-57 edge over Labor.

The new Senate probably will be made up of 30 Government supporters, 28 official Laborites and two anti-Communist Laborites. The anti-Communist Labor party breakaway from Evatt's party may help the Government to control the Senate.

## INDEPENDENCE DUE MONDAY FOR SUDAN

Prime Minister Expects Parties to Agree on His Program.

KHARTOUM, Dec. 16 (AP)—Prime Minister Ismail el Azhari says he will declare the independence of the Sudan Monday.

The Prime Minister told Parliament yesterday he expected the Sudanese political parties to agree on his program for the million-square-mile upper Nile territory.

The Sudan has been ruled jointly by Britain and Egypt for the last 56 years. Those two countries announced Dec. 3 they had agreed to let the Sudanese decide their own future through a plebiscite, selecting either complete independence or a link with Egypt. That announcement supplanted an agreement signed in February 1953, under which the future of the Sudan would have been decided by a constituent assembly.

A British Foreign Office spokesman in London said Britain had no advance notice of El Azhari's plan to proclaim independence. He said Britain "will consult with the Egyptian government."

El Azhari said last year that the Sudanese Parliament had the power to decide the country's future.

## HUNGARY REPORTED TRYING A.P., U.P. CORRESPONDENTS

LONDON, Dec. 16 (AP)—Reports reaching London from Vienna said Endre Marton and his wife, correspondents in Hungary for American news services, went on trial Nov. 28 before a secret Hungarian military court.

The reports did not disclose the specific charges against the couple. The Hungarian government said last July, however, the Martons were arrested on charges of spying for United States intelligence. Marton, 44-year-old Hungarian national, had been Budapest correspondent for the Associated Press since 1947. He apparently was arrested last February. The Associated Press has been unable to reach him by normal telephone or telegraph channels since that time. His wife, Ilona, had been correspondent for the United Press.

## CHILE, ECUADOR AND PERU SET WHALE QUOTA IN WATERS

QUITO, Ecuador, Dec. 16 (AP)—Chile, Ecuador and Peru set a whale quota within their territorial waters last night. The three countries claim these waters extend 200 nautical miles off their shores. The Permanent Commission

of the Southern Pacific ended its third meeting, fixing a quota of 2100 sperm whales for the hunting year starting July 1956. The commission is made up of representatives of the three countries.

The commission also ruled that whalers must get licenses from fishing authorities of the three respective countries.

**Publication Curtailed.**  
ALPEN, Mich., Dec. 16 (UP)—The Alpena News, a daily newspaper with circulation of nearly 8000, will not publish tomorrow. The paper said it also plans to suspend publication next Saturday and may be forced not to publish on succeeding Saturdays because of a shortage of newsprint.



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The cost of a three-minute call from St. Louis to Chicago, station-to-station, any night from 6 p.m. to 4:30 a.m., or all day Sunday is only 70¢.  
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The GENOA (938K21). All new features inside and out...for best-by-eye pictures...best-to-look-at styling. New type aluminized tube. Brighter, clearer pictures. Mahogany or lined oak\* grained finish.  
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You get the savings we made on this sensational "off-season" purchase. These are brand new 1956 models of the famous "Grass Flyer" with all-steel unbreakable housing—lifetime guarantee—no aluminum to chip or crack.

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Only with purchase of this machine  
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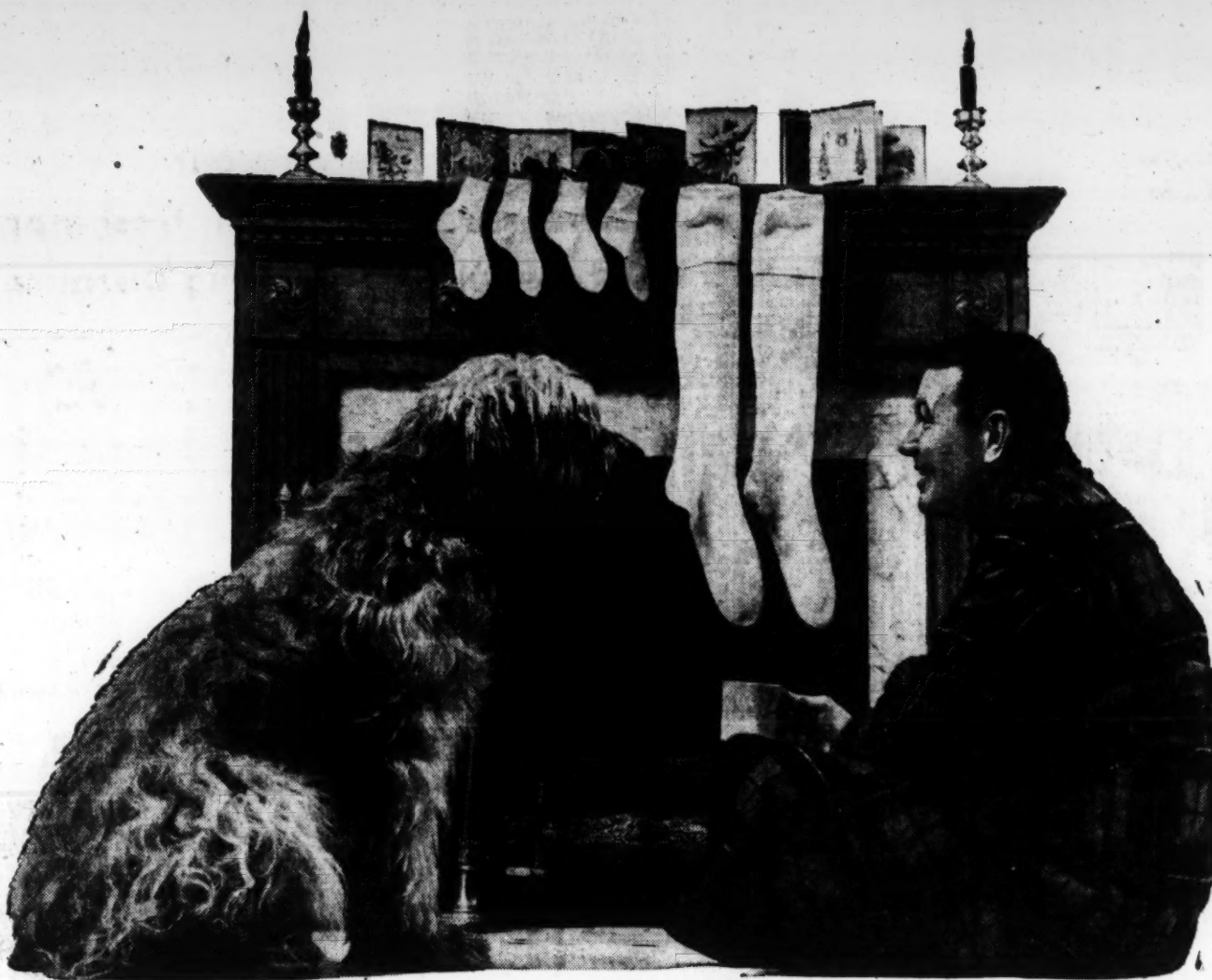
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**JOE STETSON:** Great tradition. Rum eggnog. Rum punch. Hot buttered rum. With dry rum. From Puerto Rico. Christmas spirit.

**BEST FRIEND:** Christmas spirit! Jolly idea. Prefer any special brand?

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Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, Economic Development Administration, Rum Promotion Division, 578 Fifth Avenue, New York 17, N. Y.

## NEHRU SAYS INDIA MAY NOT WANT AID

Nation Needs Big Sums in Foreign Exchange for 5-Year Plan.

NEW DELHI, Dec. 16 (AP)—Prime Minister Nehru said yesterday it may not be desirable for India to ask for aid from abroad in the future.

His statement was contained in an article written for the Congress Party's fortnightly economic review.

"Because of our big development schemes, there is a big gap between our estimated resources and what we intend to spend," he wrote.

"Well, normally one looks to fill the gap maybe by some greater effort and possibly and largely by some external assistance."

"This may come but we should not rely on it."

"And, as various developments are taking place in the external world, it may possibly become not desirable for us to ask for external assistance."

Official sources declined to speculate on the import of Nehru's statement.

It has been estimated officially that to complete their second five-year plan—due to start early next year—India will need at least one and half billion dollars in foreign exchange. This is not now in sight.

The United States, with contributions in outright grants and loans of more than \$500,000,000, has been by far the greatest supporter of India's development schemes.

The Soviet Union, which made repeated offers of technical assistance during the Bulganin and Khrushchev tour, has made only negligible contributions in the past.

In his article, Nehru criticized the Communist view of capitalism as being based on what happened in England in the Nineteenth Century. "It is rather out of date," he commented.

## HEADS FAR EAST BOY SCOUTS

TOKYO, Dec. 16 (AP)—Air Force Maj. Gen. Harlan C. Parks, assistant chief of staff for personnel of the United States Far East Command, has been named president of the Far East council of the Boy Scouts of America.

Scout membership in the area has tripled in the last three years. There are more than 4100 boys in the Scout movement, about 80 per cent of the eligible youths in the command area.

Australia School Bus Collision, PERTH, Australia, Dec. 16 (UP)—A bus carrying school-boys home for the holidays was "sliced open like a sardine can" by a truck in a collision near here yesterday, police reported. One boy was killed and 20 were injured.

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RADIANT CONTROL TOASTER

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Best Junior Mixer Made

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Most Price Changes Small  
but Gains Run to 3,  
Losses to 2 Points.

NEW YORK, Dec. 16 (AP)—The stock market closed somewhat higher today, but there were plenty of minus signs dragging against the trend.

Airplane stocks were ahead all day, and a few others became especially strong just before the close.

Prices were up around 3 points at the best while losses ran to about 2 points.

Associated Press average of 60 stocks closed up 4 of a point at 178.6. Industrial stock index was up .8 of a point, rails up .2 of a point and utilities unchanged.

The market broadened 24 issues from yesterday's 186 issues. There were 484 gainers, 405 losers, 277 unchanged. There were 24 new highs and 12 new lows.

Business came to 2,310,000 shares as compared with 2,260,000 shares traded yesterday when the market was down.

Few features appeared in today's session. Airplane and steel stocks were good progress along with some copper, chemicals, oils, rails and electrical equipment. The motor division lagged most of the time. Other departments were steady to mixed.

Higher stocks included Santa Fe Railroad, Union Pacific, Standard Oil (N.J.), United Air Lines, RKO Pictures, John Manville, Anaconda Co., General Electric, Air Reduction, Climax Molybdenum, Merck, U.S. Steel and Douglas Aircraft.

Aluminum stock was down around 2 points following the announcement 1956 production would be cut 10 per cent instead of 5 per cent as previously estimated because of low water levels for hydroelectric power.

Both General Motors and Chrysler were active at lower prices. G.M. started on 10,000 shares of 1/2 at 46 1/2.

Bethlehem Steel and Schering were active at higher prices. Merck also had higher flurries.

At noon the Associated Press average of 60 stocks was up 40 cents at 178.60. Yesterday it fell back 20 cents, the fifth straight decline for the average.

The market has been under the influence of tax selling and switching for many days now, but the pressure is expected to lift next week.

**GOVERNMENT BOND PRICES SHOW IMPROVEMENT LATE**

NEW YORK, Dec. 16 (AP)—Convertible rallied to tilt the bond market moderately higher late today. Trading was relatively active.

U.S. Treasury bonds improved with gains extending out to 6-32 in long range securities. Intermediates were a trifle softer with advances of 2-32 and 3-32.

Among convertibles, Bethlehem Steel 3 1/2s were quoted near the close at 128, up 1/2.

Rails generally were mixed. The Federal Reserve apparently abandoned, at least temporarily, its restrictive credit policy by buying government securities in the open market.

In direct support of the Treasury's recent 12 billion dollar exchange offering, the reserve banks bought treasury certificates as well as treasury bills to bulk up the market.

"The purchases plainly show the system has dropped its policy of not directly supporting a treasury financing," said the vice president of a major New York bank.

New York Federal Reserve officials withheld any comment, other than that analysts could draw their own conclusions.

**Mississippi Valley Stockyards.** Mississippi Valley Stockyards, Inc., reported as follows: Average good to choice steers and yearlings \$16.20; better beef cows bulked \$9.11; top sausage hogs \$14.40; good to prime veal \$21 to a top at \$20.

**HOGS.** Bulk of the 180 to 230 lb. \$10.75 to \$11.50; choice No. 1 around 200 lb. \$11.60 to \$11.85; packing sows bulked from \$7.50 to \$8.75.

**SHEEP.** Most good to prime lambs \$16.15 to \$17.50, aged sheep \$3 to \$4.50.

**MIDWEST EXCHANGE**

ST. LOUIS STOCKS

CHICAGO, Dec. 16 (AP)—Sales of stocks in the Midwest Stock Exchange today were:

Ann. Div. in Dollars, High, Low, Open, Close, Net in Dollars, Sales, 100s, Close, Ch. or F.

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Gen. Corp. 100 10 10 10 10 1/2

Midwest 100 10 10 10 10 1/2

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## TRANSACTIONS ON THE NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

## DOW-JONES AVERAGES

FRIDAY, DEC. 16, 1955

	30	20	55	45
Industrials	178.6	178.6	178.6	178.6
Railroads	178.6	178.6	178.6	178.6
Utilities	178.6	178.6	178.6	178.6
Stocks	178.6	178.6	178.6	178.6
Friday close	+1.36	+36	—25	+26
Friday, 2 p.m. (N.Y.)	+1.71	—	—08	+63
Friday, 1 p.m. (N.Y.)	+1.81	+52	—03	+50
Friday, 12 noon (N.Y.)	+1.83	+58	—04	+54
Friday, 11 a.m. (N.Y.)	+60	+24	—01	+18
Thursday's close	480.72	161.00	64.62	170.75
1955 High	487.80	167.83	66.68	174.21
1955 Low	388.28	137.94	61.39	144.39

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Am. Rad.	Del. L. & W.	El. & Mus.	Equit Gas	Gen Elec.	Gen Mot.	Chi. & N.W.	Colo. F. & I.

Day's Sales, 2,310,000

Prev. Session, 2,260,000

Year Ago, 3,730,495

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## STOCK PRICES ON AMERICAN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Dec. 16 (AP)—Following is a representative list of securities traded in the American Stock Exchange today:

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## Day's Review

## Of Business

## And Finance

NEW YORK, Dec. 16—A secondary offering of Anheuser-Busch, Inc. common stock at 20 1/2 a share for 10,000 shares was made early today by investment firms of Rietter & Co. and Reynolds & Co. The offering was oversubscribed before noon.

M. Lowenstein & Sons Inc., announced the acquisition of the complete cotton operations of Pacific Mills. The purchase involves Pacific's cotton textile properties in Columbia and Lyman, S. C. The new acquisition will be operated as Pacific Mills Fabrics Inc., a newly established subsidiary of M. Lowenstein & Sons. Donald B. Tansil, president of M. Lowenstein, will become









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## Diamond Sales in U.S. Expected To Reach Record High for Year

NEW YORK, Dec. 16 (UP)—A bumper crop of diamonds will sparkle under the nation's Christmas trees this year, carrying the industry to a new sales record, an industry spokesman predicts.

Diamonds, ranging from tiny

stones in wristwatches to necklaces and bracelets costing \$100,000 and up, are being bought by men for women, by women for other women and by women for themselves, the spokesman said.

There is a growing trend toward purchases of diamonds by women in big cities who either like to foot their own jewelry bills or have to, he said. But small-town girls still cling to the idea that all that glitters under the Christmas tree should be paid for by men.

The forecast of a record year was made by a spokesman for De Beers Consolidated Mines, Ltd., top firm in the South African diamond industry.

Figures on the diamond business are almost as hard to

dig up as diamonds themselves, he said, but available information indicates 1955 will surpass 1946, the last record year. Sales of gem diamonds in the United States in 1946 totaled about \$166,637,049, with 40 per cent of the business just before Christmas, he said. Sales so far this year are running ahead of that, indicating to the industry that the total for 1955 will pass the old mark.

One New York jeweler is offering a little French goodie

pin of diamonds and platinum with a ruby collar—for \$1500. A diamond charm for a bracelet has been fashioned to resemble St. Patrick's Cathedral lighted up for Christmas eve. The steeple is a tapered diamond. The price? Only \$1600.

A nation-wide survey of diamond sales has disclosed that most of the stones are used in engagement rings. Anniversary gifts of rings or other jewelry ranked second. Deferred en-

gagement rings—bought long after the wedding—and investments came next. "The pattern is to meet and fall in love in the spring," a De Beers spokesman said. "By Christmas, the couple have saved enough for a ring and then they marry the following June."

"Most people pay cash for diamonds. The average jeweler reports only 10 per cent of his business on a credit basis. Peo-

ple buy a car or a television set on time, but jewelry is in a class by itself. They save up for diamonds."

### PREDICTS SMALL COMPANIES WILL GET RESEARCH AID

CHICAGO, Dec. 16 (UP)—Small business firms which cannot afford scientific research laboratories or the long wait for commercial results need not be doomed, according to George A.

Stigler, professor of economics at Columbia University. Stigler predicted in a speech that, with the growth of research, new firms will emerge to provide specialized facilities for small firms.

He also said that although the growth of scientific knowledge and its application to industry has been constant during the last 75 years, it has not revolutionized the size of all industrial firms.

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## Strength of Arctic Ice Tested For Use in Landing Big Planes

Scientists Set Off TNT Charges, Drop Projectiles, Measure Ice Samples' Breaking Point.

BOSTON, Dec. 16 (AP)—Air Force scientists are rushing research on a problem of growing importance to the United States and Royal Canadian Air Forces in the strategic Arctic—how to use the snow and ice as safe landing fields.

They hope to develop an airborne indicator of ice thickness and strength for Arctic aircraft. With the increasing significance of the Arctic in the defense program and aircraft more and more needed in those snowy wastes, the Air Force Cambridge research center said today:

"The problem of safe landings and takeoffs by heavily loaded aircraft has reached major proportions. From now until May, scientists of the Cambridge research center of the air research and development command will be setting off thundering charges of TNT in the Far North. Helicopters will hover over the frigid wastes, dropping assorted pointed projectiles from various heights onto the ice. Huge tanks of 50-ton capacity will be loaded onto the ice and pumped full of water.

Researchers will saw out big ice beams and load them to the breakage point. They will cut out cylindrical samples of ice for testing. Ice crystals in process of growth will be studied under microscopes.

Experts from the terrestrial sciences laboratory of the geophysics directorate of Cambridge research center and three other agencies already are in Hopedale, Labrador. There they will conduct 17 separate experiments between now and spring.

At the little town, on Labrador's bleak northeast coast, northeast air command planes must land on ice and snow to perform their missions. Charged with responsibility for support of Air Force operations in Newfoundland, Labrador, Greenland and the eastern section of the Canadian Arctic, the Northeast Air command sought the investigations of strength of sea ice sheets.

Working with the Cambridge experts are scientists from the Army Corps of Engineers SIPRE (snow, ice, permafrost research establishment), the University of Michigan, and the Navy hydrographic office.

## PHILIPPINE BANDITS AMBUSH BUS, KILL EIGHT PASSENGERS

MANILA, Dec. 16 (AP)—Bandits ambushed a passenger bus 90 miles north of Manila today, killed eight persons and wounded 16, Philippine News Service reported.

Constabulary reports said the driver crashed a roadblock but the bandits riddled the vehicle with submachine gun fire. A police patrol was pursuing the outlaws.

## Reds Seize Fishing Boat.

TOKYO, Dec. 16 (UP)—A Japanese fishing boat with 10 crewmen aboard has been seized by Communist China, it was reported today. A Shimane prefect assemblyman disclosed the seizure of the vessel which had been missing from the port city since Oct. 24.

## INJURED TRUMPETER SWAN CAUGHT, SLIVER REMOVED

VANCOUVER, B. C., Dec. 16 (AP)—A group of loggers captured an injured trumpeter swan on Vancouver Island, about 100 miles northwest of Vancouver.

The rare bird was carried to the nearby town of Campbell

River, where a sliver of wood five inches long was taken from one of its wings. The swan, protected by law, then was given penicillin and water.

The game warden was notified and the bird was flown by plane to Vancouver. It was taken last night to the University of British Columbia, where doctors were confident of saving its life.

## CEYLON AND CZECHOSLOVAKIA SIGN TRADE AGREEMENT

COLOMBO, Dec. 16 (AP)—Ceylon signed a trade pact with Communist Czechoslovakia today. Three weeks ago Ceylon and Poland signed a similar agreement.

Under the new pact Ceylon will export tea, rubber, coconut

products and graphite. Czechoslovakia will send machinery, automobiles, motorcycles, rolling stock, hardware, stationery,

textiles, glassware and chemical products. The anticipated value of the Ceylonese-Czech exchange was not announced.

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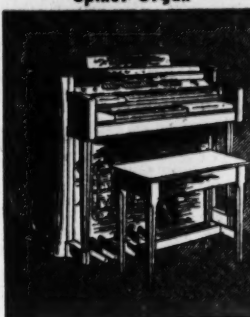
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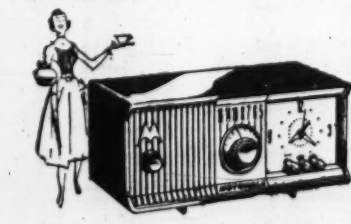
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All the electrical extras at an extra-special price! Motorola clock radios wake you or lull you, turn the lights off or the coffeemaker on. This one in Turquoise, Antique White, Pink or Mahogany. (Model 56CD) \$34<sup>90</sup> Mahogany —



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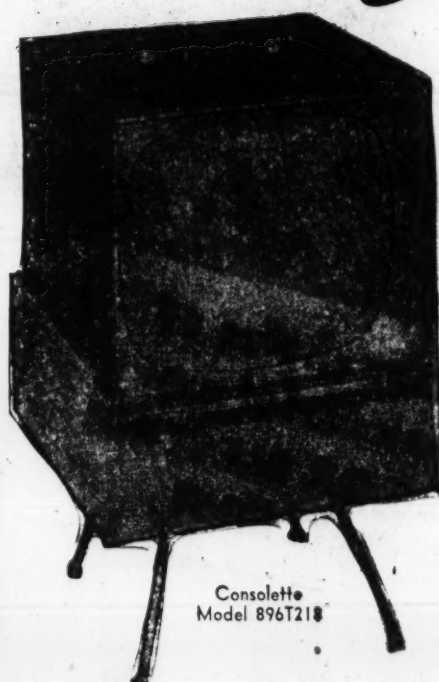
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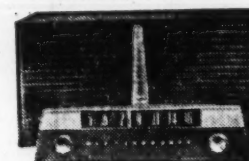
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## WEST AGAIN SAYS RUSSIA IS RULING IN EAST BERLIN

Allied Notes Hold Soviets Responsible for Obligations Under 4-Power Pact.

BONN, Dec. 16 (AP)—The three Western Allies told the Russians again today that they hold the Soviet government responsible for guaranteeing their rights in East Germany, including Berlin.

They reaffirmed this position in similar notes to the Soviet ambassador to East Germany, Georgi M. Pushkin.

The notes from the United States, British and French ambassadors here said their governments continued "to hold the Soviet government responsible for the obligations assumed by it under quadripartite (four-power) agreements on the subject of Germany, including Berlin."

The Allies were answering the latest Soviet note, delivered Wednesday, contending that the Communist East German government had "sovereign" jurisdiction over East Berlin.

That was the Russian answer to previous Allied protests that the grant of "sovereignty" to the German Communists in East Berlin violated postwar four-power agreements of Germany.

The exchange of notes was prompted by the East German detention for four hours recently of two United States Congressmen.

The Communists said the radio telephone in the United States staff car carrying the Congressmen violated East German laws.

The United States Army has continued to send such cars into the East sector, including one yesterday carrying Representative Edmondson (Dem., Oklahoma, on a tour of the Red sector. There have been no further incidents involving the cars.

**Reds Seizing Trucks Hauling Scrap to West.**

BERLIN, Dec. 16 (UP)—West Berlin scrap dealers said today the Communists have seized 11 West-bound trucks in another effort to force recognition of the East zone government.

A spokesman for the scrap dealers association said Communist customs guards were holding the trucks at the Marienborn checkpoint at western end of the 110-mile highway from isolated Berlin.

He said the truckers would have to pay "huge fines" or face outright confiscation of their trucks. He said the scrap shipments they contained already have been seized by the Reds.

"The action is strictly political," the spokesman said. "There was nothing wrong with the truckers' shipping documents. When we inquired at the East German customs office about the matter we were told 'you will have no trouble if your ministry talks to our ministry.'"

He said the Communists began their new interference with the scrap shipments this week on a pretext that the shipping documents were not in order.

**ACROSS-RIVER PHONE RATE RISE HEARING SET JAN. 5**

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 16—An Illinois Commerce Commission hearing on a request for higher rates on across-the-river business telephone calls from Granite City and East St. Louis to St. Louis will be held Jan. 5, it was announced today.

Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. had petitioned for permission to charge separately for each message, rather than use a flat inclusive rate. No increase would be made for calls from St. Louis.

The company said it was suffering "substantial losses" on the present service, which has 718 subscribers. It estimated the new rate would yield an additional \$140,000 annually. A group of affected business men has protested and the proposed rate change has not been put into effect, pending the Jan. 5 hearing.

**Russia OK's French Envoy.** MOSCOW, Dec. 16 (UP)—The Soviet Foreign Ministry announced today Maurice Dejean has been accepted as the new French ambassador to Moscow. He will replace Louis Joxe, who is to become ambassador to West Germany.

## WARNS OVER FIRE DANGERS FROM CHRISTMAS TREES

JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 16 (UP)—A state health official warned today that parents may unwittingly turn their homes into incendiary bombs during the Christmas season.

"The Christmas season is a time for joy and a time when safety takes on added importance," according to Dr. James R. Amos, director of the state health division.

Amos pointed out that a tinder-dry Christmas tree, paper wrappings and electrical spark combined, make a "perfect incendiary bomb."

As precautions, Amos suggested:

1. Keep your Christmas tree in water before and during the time it is up.
2. Take the tree down when it becomes dry and the needles start to drop.
3. Place it away from any source of heat.
4. Disconnect the tree lights when you leave home.
5. Use non-flammable decorations.
6. Keep fresh evergreens, cotton or paper decorations away from lighted candles on the table, mantle or in a window.
7. Use only U.L. (Underwriters Laboratories) approved wiring and lights.

## TRAPPED MAJOR ON CYPRUS KILLS ARCHBISHOP'S COUSIN

NICOSIA, Cyprus, Dec. 16 (UP)—A British army major killed a cousin of Archbishop Makarios, Greek nationalist leader, in fighting his way out of a terrorist ambush yesterday. Single-handed, Maj. B. B. Coombe killed another terrorist, wounded three and captured another with his Sten sub-machine gun.

Coombe was riding in his jeep when he ran into the ambush. His driver was wounded seriously. Coombe fought off the terrorists and stood guard over the four men until help arrived.

The Archbishop's cousin was Haralambos Mouscos, one of the most-wanted terrorists in Cyprus. A reward of \$1400 had been offered for him.

## River Stages

STATIONS	Flood Stage	Stage Change
	7 a.m. 24 hrs.	Today, In feet.
Keokuk, Ia.	16	2.4
Keokuk, Mo.	16	8.5
Louisiana, Mo.	15	31.7
Dam 24-TW, Mo.	23	13.5
Dam 25-TW, Mo.	23	12.5
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Beardstown, Ill.	14	9.6
Grafton, Ill.	18	14.5
Dam 26-TW, Mo.	23	2.3
Jefferson City, Mo.	40	53.0
Lebanese, Mo.	21	2.6
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## STANDARD OIL HEAD ARGUES FOR ENDING U.S. GAS CONTROL

Passage of the Natural Gas Act would increase slightly the cost of gas to consumers, but would benefit them by insuring an adequate supply of natural gas, F. O. Prior, president of the Standard Oil Company of Indiana, said here today.

Federal regulation of the price paid producers for natural gas is curbing development of natural gas resources and causing a trend which could cause a shortage of gas, with corresponding increases in prices, he asserted.

The pending bill, which has already passed the House of Representatives, would virtually end regulation of prices paid producers of natural gas, he said. Prior described his firm, which is holding a sales meeting at Hotel Statler, as one of the five largest producers of natural gas in the country.

## BLAST IN COUNTY LAID TO JET'S 'SONIC BOOM'

A blast which shook the southwest area of St. Louis yesterday prompted about 100 inquiries of the cause, police reported.

The blast apparently was caused by a jet airplane's "sonic boom" which occurs when a plane reaches the speed of sound, police said. Officials of McDonnell Aircraft Corp. said none of their planes were in the area at the time.

Kirkwood police reported receiving about 70 telephone calls from concerned residents. Webster Groves police had 15 calls. No damage was reported.

**This TV Age.**

SOUTH BEND, Ind. (UP)—Asked by an out-of-town friend where he lived, two-year-old Park Carmon answered "South Bend, Channel 34."

## CONVICTION OF RESTAURANT MANAGER IS SET ASIDE

A police court conviction of Max Goffstein, manager of a restaurant at 202 North Eighth street, on a charge of denying a city inspector access to all parts of the restaurant, was set aside yesterday by Judge David W. FitzGibbon of the Court of Criminal Correction.

City Judge Robert G. Dowd fined Goffstein \$75 on the charge Nov. 4 and he appealed. Judge FitzGibbon held that the charge should have been peace disturbance if anything.

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### TO GET \$350,000 AWARD FROM G.M. FOR ACCIDENT

ALBANY, N.Y., Dec. 16 (AP)—Ten men who sued General Motors Corp. for damages after a truck accident have been granted a total of \$350,000.

The award was made yesterday by a United States District Court after five and one-half hours' deliberation. General Motors attorneys said they

would move Wednesday to have the verdict set aside.

The 10 alleged that the accident five years ago in Rensselaer county was caused by a defective steering mechanism. The accused General Motors of negligence in manufacture of the vehicle. They were injured June 6, 1950, when the truck in which they were riding went down an embankment. Howard J. Greenblatt, Bennington, Vt., was awarded the bulk of the award—\$200,000. He had sued for \$500,000.

### RED VISITORS, AFGHAN LEADERS START TALKS

**Aid Sought by Premier Daud but Not at Price of Turning Communist.**

KABUL, Dec. 16 (AP)—Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev met Afghan leaders for some hard bargaining today.

Afghan Premier Mohammed Daud and his colleagues seek economic aid and Soviet political support—but not at the price of a Communist Afghanistan. The Soviet leaders, on the other hand, have in Afghanistan an opportunity to extend Russian influence right to Pakistan's borders on the Khyber pass—historic landmark on the Indian continent's northwest frontier.

The Russians were after close links with Afghanistan, which would like to be friendly with the West. More than a year ago the Russians put a foot in the door. They sent the Afghans economic aid in the form of road paving teams, bakery equipment, busses, taxicabs and an asphalt plant.

This aid was based on a long-term credit barrier. It gave Kabul, capital of this country of 12,000,000 people, its first paved roads, taxicabs and modern busses.

Nevertheless, the two Russians got a cool reception on their arrival yesterday. The government apparently planned it that way so as not to spark the latent anti-Soviet feeling among Afghans.

However, in their visit of three to five days the Afghan government may whip up a larger and more vocal reception by the people. Student

### RED THREAT STRAINS BILL OF RIGHTS, CURTIS SAYS

Communist infiltration is putting the Bill of Rights to a test in meeting that threat and at the same time preserving basic liberties, United States Representative Thomas B. Curtis (Rep.), of Webster Groves, said last night.

He was principal speaker at a dinner of the Missouri Society of the Sons of the American Revolution at the Park Plaza Hotel. Henry F. Chadeayne, secretary of the organization, presided at the dinner, which was given in commemoration of the 164th anniversary of the adoption of the Bill of Rights.

sources said although the school term ended two weeks ago, the government had delayed promoting pupils to higher grades so they would not leave the city. Many students live hundreds of miles from Kabul but are waiting to go home until they receive their promotions.

Marlo Amadeo Fred. BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 16 (UP)—Marlo Amadeo, foreign minister in the short-lived Argentine government of Gen.

Eduardo Lonardi, was freed last night after 10 days in jail on unspecified charges. His wife appealed to President Pedro E. Aramburu to release her husband.

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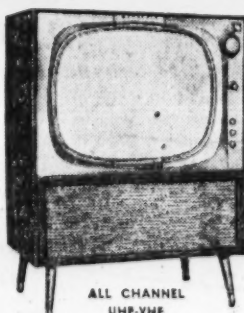


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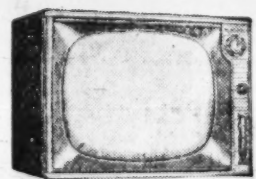
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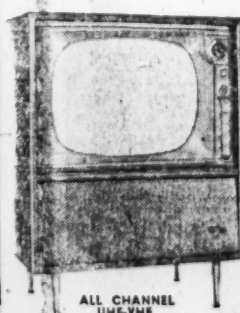
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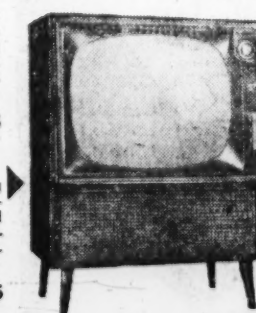
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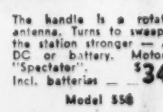


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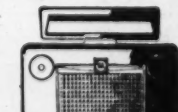


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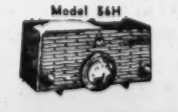
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## WOMAN APPARENTLY SET FIRES, CONFINED

Taken to Bliss Hospital After Inquiry on Rooming House Blazes.

A woman who police said apparently was responsible for two series of fires in two rooming houses where she and her family lived has been taken to Malcolm Bliss psychiatric hospital for observation, police said today.

Physicians at the hospital said the woman, 26 years old and mother of three children, was suffering from a brain disease associated with epilepsy and had strong tendencies toward pyromania, or compulsion to set fires.

The series of fires were on Dec. 1 at a rooming house at 1610 Mississippi avenue and last Friday at a rooming house at 3841 Washington boulevard, where the family had moved because of fire damage to their living quarters at the former address.

At the Mississippi avenue place, six fires occurred in a 24-hour period. Some of the blazes were extinguished by firemen and some by tenants. In the sixth fire, several residents were forced to scramble down an outside porch structure from the third floor.

Lie detector tests taken by residents after the fire produced negative results, police said. However, the test was not taken by the woman, because her epileptic condition would have made the examination inconclusive. The test was taken by another woman, who was pregnant.

Families of both women moved to the Washington avenue rooming house on Dec. 2. After a series of five minor fires there last Friday, Detective Sgt. John Walsh and Detectives Joseph Ligamoro and Ernest Palucak of the police bombing and arson squad questioned residents and were told by the husband of the epileptic woman he had seen her apparently setting one fire.

He told the officers he entered their bedroom and saw her walking away from the bed, which was on fire. She handed him a book of matches and said: "Hide these," he reported.

With the co-operation of the husband, authorities took the woman to the hospital, where she was examined.

In an earlier fire at the Mississippi avenue rooming house, last Nov. 11, two young children were rescued by William Robbins, 14 years old, who rushed into a smoke-filled apartment to carry them out.

## 2 FINED, FAILED TO PAY PINBALL MACHINE TAX

Special to the Post-Dispatch. SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 16.—Two East St. Louis tavern operators were fined in United States district court today after they pleaded guilty on charges of failing to pay the \$250 federal tax on pinball machines used for gambling.

They were Emmett Walsh, fined \$300 for failure to pay the tax on three machines, and Wesley Teel, fined \$100 for failure to pay on one machine.

Two other tavern operators, Fred L. Sullivan Jr. of Cairo, and A. F. Fleming of Springfield, were fined \$200 and \$100 respectively after pleading guilty on the same charge. A fifth operator, Albert A. Miles, Springfield, pleaded not guilty and his case was transferred to United States district court in Peoria.

## SENTENCED FOR CONTEMPT FOR REMARKS ON TELEVISION

CHICAGO, Dec. 16 (AP)—Tom Duggan, Chicago television performer, today drew a 10-day jail sentence and a \$100 fine for contempt.

Judge Daniel A. Voell of the superior court set the penalty. It was for indirect contempt of court—for making remarks on TV about witnesses in a child custody case.

Duggan conducts a nightly chatter program on a Chicago station.

The judge stayed the sentence for 30 days to permit an appeal. The contempt action stemmed from litigation involving Carl Champagne Jr. and his estranged wife Shirley. Champagne sued her for divorce and sued Duggan for \$250,000, alleging alienation of affection.

## 3 U.S. COMMUNISTS FREED ON BOND TOTALING \$60,000

NEW YORK, Dec. 16 (UP)—Three second string Communist leaders who go on trial Feb. 27, were freed yesterday on a total of \$60,000 bond.

The three surrendered last week after being fugitives for four years. They are Fred Fine, secretary of the party's public affairs committee; James E. Jackson Jr., southern regional director for the party; and William Norman, executive secretary of the New York state party.

United States Attorney Paul W. Williams said he was told the bond was put up by friends and relatives of the three. The men are charged with conspiracy to teach and advocate violent overthrow of the Government.

## NAMED BAR GROUP HEAD

Howard Elliott has been named metropolitan chairman for St. Louis in the American Bar Association's nationwide campaign for 50,000 new members. It was announced yesterday by E. Smythe Gambrell, president of the association.

The campaign will reach its climax in February when hundreds of recruiting teams will make a simultaneous canvass of prospective members.

## COLONEL ADMITS BROADCASTING FOR KOREAN REDS

FORT LEWIS, Wash., Dec. 16 (AP)—Lt. Col. Paul V. Liles admitted at his court martial yesterday that he made an enemy-sponsored broadcast in North Korea in 1951.

But, he added, he wove into

the broadcast, along with propaganda required by his North Korea captors, information which he thought would be useful to the American forces. He also told of once throwing a surrender appeal recording into a well.

The 39-year-old West Point graduate from Birmingham, Ala., went through a transcription of the 1951 broadcast as he testified in his own defense for the second day. He is

accused of collaborating with the enemy and failing to assume leadership as the senior officer among the prisoners with whom he was held. He told the court he had inserted information to tip off American forces that some 3000 fellow prisoners were concentrated at Pyoktong. He said he was afraid the United States Air Force might bomb the camp.

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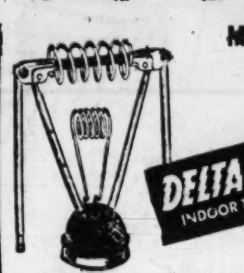
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William McKinney, 4018  
South Grand boulevard, re-  
ported to police that a man ac-  
costered him from behind as he  
walked near his home early to-  
day and robbed him of about  
\$100 after placing an object, ap-  
parently a pistol, at his back.

Eugene Smith, 1860 South  
Fourteenth street, said two men  
who gave him a ride in their  
automobile, picking him up at  
Broadway and Shennadoah  
avenue shortly after midnight,  
drove to Tenth street and Gay-  
er avenue, then robbed him of  
\$76 and a watch and put him  
out of the car. One of them had  
a revolver, he reported.

Mrs. Richard W. Rivers was  
robbed of \$80 early today by a  
man who displayed a pistol and  
demanded her purse as she  
stepped from her automobile in  
the driveway of her home, 8107  
Monroe avenue, Vinita Terrace,  
police reported.

When she gave the man her  
purse, a second man stepped  
from behind a shrub and  
warned her not to call police.  
The two then threw the purse  
on a lawn and drove off in an  
old-model automobile.

In a burglary last night at  
the home of Gordon Merian,  
1027 Riverview boulevard,  
about \$180, a \$40 ring and a  
traveling bag and a clock were  
taken, he told police.

Mrs. Norma Schetter, 4406  
Athlone avenue, reported \$433  
and a \$10 ring were taken  
from her home yesterday after  
the front door was forced open.

**MAURICE E. MENDEL HEADS  
G.O.P. CAMPAIGN GROUP**

Appointment of Maurice E.  
Mendle of St. Louis as chair-  
man of the Missouri Republican  
Congressional Campaign Com-  
mittee was announced yesterday  
by Chairman Perry Compton of  
the G.O.P. state committee.

Mendle, president of the  
Mendle Printing Co., has been  
active with Compton recently in  
making arrangements for the  
holding of "Salute to Eisen-  
hower" fund-raising dinners  
throughout the state Jan. 20.  
Plans call for \$100-a-plate din-  
ners in St. Louis and Kansas  
City, and \$10-a-plate dinners in  
more than 50 other Missouri  
cities and towns.

Republicans are making plans  
for vigorous campaigns next  
year in each of the state's 11  
congressional districts, hoping  
to unseat a number of the Dem-  
ocratic incumbents.

**FOUR MEN ARE INDICTED  
ON ARMED ROBBERY CHARGES**

Robert E. Barnes, who was  
charged with stealing \$21,000  
in a burglary last August, and  
three associates were indicted  
on charges of armed robbery

yesterday by the St. Louis  
county grand jury.  
Others named in the indict-  
ment, returned in the court of  
Circuit Judge Raymond E. La-  
Driere, were Frank J. Deman-  
uele, William Solven and James  
Bradley. They were charged  
with robbing Mrs. Virginia

Davis of \$225 Nov. 27 in her  
home at 7108 Lexington ave-  
nue, St. Louis county.  
Barnes, Solven and Deman-  
uele were charged in a second  
robbery indictment with obtain-  
ing \$214 in a holdup at the  
G.F.C. Loan Co., Pine Lawn,  
Nov. 30.

**TRAFFIC SIGNAL INSTALLED**

A newly installed electric  
traffic signal was placed into  
operation yesterday at Hampton  
avenue and Arsenal street.  
Work crews of the Traffic Divi-  
sion are presently installing sig-

nals at Gravois and Loughbo-  
rough avenues.  
Traffic Commissioner Charles  
G. Ginter said that a new sig-  
nal will be installed soon at  
Gravois and Bates street. All  
signals replace stop signs and  
were authorized last year by the  
Board of Aldermen.

**Set to Start Flight to Vancouver.**  
HONOLULU, Dec. 16 (UP)—  
The Dehavilland Comet III  
jet airliner took off from here  
at 3:59 a.m. (9:59 a.m. St. Louis  
time) for Vancouver. The Brit-  
ish plane is scheduled to land  
at Vancouver late today.

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## BLIND FATHER OF 5 CHARGED IN BOMBING

He and Sister-in-Law Seized  
in \$50,000 Extortion  
Plot.

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 16 (AP)—A blind man and his sister-in-law were charged today with bombing the big Meier and Frank Co. department store in a \$50,000 extortion plot eight months ago.

Police said William Clarence Peddicord, 38 years old, devised the plan and planted the bomb, assisted by his sister-in-law, Mrs. Joyce Keller, 28.

They were charged with injuring persons and property by explosives. Bond was set at \$75,000 each.

The bomb exploded in a men's washroom in the 12-story store, Portland's largest.

April 15. A few persons were hit by flying debris, but there were no serious injuries.

A note demanded \$50,000 on threat of another bombing the next day. Police said a pay-off trap failed. The store was closed the next day but no bomb was found and it reopened without further incident.

Police said the two admitted the plot, but said they lost their nerve and did not attempt to contact the pay-off man.

A report that a blind man and a woman had been seen near the washroom just before the mid-afternoon explosion led detectives to Peddicord, unemployed father of five children. His only income is state aid for the blind.

Peddicord admitted making the bomb from 12 sticks of dynamite, writing the note with his sister-in-law's assistance, and planting the bomb after she led him to the washroom, police said.

A chemical explosion 19 years ago destroyed Peddicord's sight. He worked for a while as a door-to-door broom sales-

man and once hitchhiked to New York, where in 1947 he was on the radio program "We, the People."

He operated a private chemical laboratory for two years but went broke and closed the business 10 days before the bombing.

**FORMOSAN PLANES DAMAGE COMMUNIST LANDING CRAFT**

TAIPEI, Formosa, Dec. 16 (AP)—Nationalist Chinese planes damaged a Communist landing craft of about 1000 tons and "a considerable number" of small wooden craft near the Red's Taishan islands off the Red China coast this morning.

Air Force headquarters said the Communists said the patrol planes bombed and strafed the concentration about 70 miles north of the Matsu group after meeting intensive anti-aircraft fire over Shacheng bay.

All Nationalist planes returned, the communists said.

## URGES STIFFER G.I. SENTENCES ABROAD

Pentagon Lawyer Says Foreign Courts Are Almost too Lenient.

NEWPORT, R.I., Dec. 16 (AP)—Mansfield D. Sprague, Defense Department general counsel, said today that foreign governments are being almost too lenient in exercising legal jurisdiction over American servicemen abroad under the controversial status of forces treaties.

The Pentagon's top lawyer said allied governments of western Europe and Japan, during the two years the treaties have been in force, have waived jurisdiction over more than 70 per cent of more than 6000 cases involving Americans overseas. In the remaining cases tried by foreign authorities,

actual jail terms have been given to only about 90 individuals, he said.

Sprague said one of the concerns of United States commanders in foreign countries has been that "the sentences imposed abroad in some cases have been too light."

Addressing the graduating class of the School of Naval Justice here, he said the Defense Department would make every effort through Congress and in the courts to plug loopholes in military law that have been opened up by recent court decisions.

He referred to the supreme court ruling in the case of former Air Force Sgt. Robert Toth which denied military jurisdiction over a former serviceman for offenses he is alleged to have committed while in uniform. Sprague said the military services do not want authority to try former military people and it is up to Congress to provide for handling such cases in civil courts.

Toth, from Pittsburgh, was accused after discharge of the killing of a Korean civilian. He

was arrested for military trial but won release through a habeas corpus action in civil court.

Sprague said a recent decision in District of Columbia district court is more serious than the one on ex-servicemen. The Washington court held unconstitutional a provision of the uniform code of military justice giving military courts jurisdiction over dependents of servicemen overseas.

Sprague said if this ruling is upheld it will undermine the historical authority of the military over civilian employees accompanying military forces abroad.

**9 Dead in Bus Wreck.** CASABLANCA, French Morocco, Dec. 16 (AP)—A bus fell into a 150-foot-foot ravine on the Casablanca-Tiznit road last night, killing 9 Moroccans and injuring 23 others.

## ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH PRESIDENT'S HEART ATTACK HEADS TOP 1955 NEWS EVENTS

NEW YORK, Dec. 16 (UPI)—President Eisenhower's heart attack headed the list of the 10 biggest news stories of 1955 chosen today by editors of the United Press.

The other stories on the 10 biggest list were:

2. Announcement of the Salk vaccine for polio.  
3. Princess Margaret renounces Capt. Townsend.  
4. Hurricanes Connie and Diane and the New England floods.  
5. The fall of President Peron of Argentina.  
6. Summit and foreign ministers' conferences in Geneva.

7. Resignation of Malenkov and rise of Bulganin and Khrushchev.  
8. Merger of AFL and CIO and modified annual wage in automobile industry.  
9. Sabotage of United Airlines plane in Colorado.  
10. Dodgers win their first world series.

## GETS LACLEDE GAS CO. POST

William H. Otto has been appointed director of public relations and advertising for Laclede Gas Co. it was announced today. He succeeds Robert D. Lewis, who is retiring. Formerly Otto was Lewis's assistant. Charles B. Collard has been appointed advertising manager. Collard was formerly assistant advertising manager.

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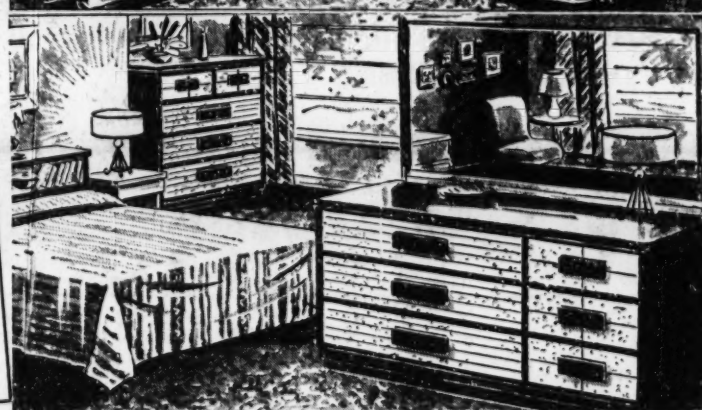
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**NEW YORK HOODLUM GETS DEATH PENALTY FOR MURDER**  
NEW YORK, Dec. 16 (UP)—Elmer (Trigger) Burke, 38-year-old hoodlum convicted of mur-

dering a pal in a barroom brawl, was sentenced today to die in the electric chair at Sing Sing prison during the week of Jan. 23.  
It was mandatory for Judge John A. Mullen to pronounce the death sentence since the

jury which convicted Burke two weeks ago of the 1952 murder of Edward (Poochy) Walsh did not recommend mercy.  
Burke, who broke out of a Boston prison more than a year ago while being held on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon, was captured near Charleston, S.C., last August.

**W. P. HAGERTY FINED \$1500 ON TAX COUNT**

**Charged With Evasion of \$3087 in 3-Year Period.**

William P. Hagerty, a former tavern keeper, was fined \$1500 by United States District Judge George H. Moore today after pleading nolo contendere to an information charging evasion of \$3087 for the years 1949-51.  
He also was placed on probation for 18 months but that was suspended subject to payment of the fine. Hagerty told Judge Moore he was a former book-maker but had not been in the business since the requirement of a federal wagering stamp became effective in 1952.  
The Government alleged that in the three years in question Hagerty's income was \$27,000 and that he reported only \$13,450, paying \$1671 in taxes when he should have paid \$4758.  
Assistant United States Attorney Murry Randall said all of the income was from book-making. Investigators said Hagerty acknowledged that his net worth at the end of 1951 was \$23,000 but insisted that he earned it before 1949.  
Hagerty's attorney, Donald Gunn, told the court his client has paid the Government \$10,000 in civil liabilities, and that his net worth now is \$13,000.

**SELF RULE FOR SINGAPORE TO BE DISCUSSED IN APRIL**

LONDON, Dec. 16 (AP)—Prime Minister Eden's government announced today a constitutional conference will meet in London next April 23 to discuss "internal self-government" for the crown colony of Singapore.

A colonial office statement said agreement on an agenda for the parley was reached after talks between David Marshall, chief minister for Singapore, and colonial secretary Alan Lennox-Boyd.  
The conference is expected to last about two to three weeks.

**WIDOW OF BIOGRAPHER OF ENRICO CARUSO DIES**

BALTIMORE, Dec. 16 (AP)—Mrs. Dorothy Park Benjamin Caruso, widow and biographer of the great Italian tenor Enrico Caruso, died today at Union Memorial Hospital after a long illness.

Mrs. Caruso had lived in Ridgely, Baltimore county, since 1950. She had done much of her writing here.

Mrs. Caruso was born into a prominent New York family and was educated in a convent school. She met Caruso in 1917 when he was already a legendary figure as one of the greatest singers of all time. Despite her family's objections, they were married within a few months and the marriage proved to be an exceptionally happy one.

Caruso died in Naples from complications which followed a respiratory ailment only three years after their marriage at the height of his career.

Nearly 25 years later in the biography of her husband Mrs. Caruso wrote that she remembered "every minute" of their life together.

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## FIRE CHIEF OUSTED IN INTEGRATION ROW

Los Angeles Department  
Head Refused to Mix  
Firemen.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 16 (AP)—The Fire Chief of Los Angeles has been suspended because he refused to integrate white and Negro firemen.

John Alderson, for 15 years the head of this city's fire department, was ousted yesterday by the fire commission on charges of insubordination.

Alderson has five days in which to file an appeal to the

suspension order. He had announced previously he planned to retire Jan. 1. It was reported that despite the outcome of the current action he will draw a \$10,000 annual pension.

The chief had openly defied the commission's orders to integrate the firemen. Last week he moved all Negro firemen back together after a brief trial of assigning a few of them into previously all-white stations. He said he made the move because there had been threats of violence.

Mayor Norris Poulson and the fire commission have been at odds with the chief during the past year. After the suspension, the Mayor said, "No man can be permitted to place himself above the charter of this city and the laws of this nation."

Deputy Chief F. Harry Rothman was named acting chief in the \$15,500 post. Charges

against Alderson were:

1. Refusal to sign a letter advising firemen to co-operate with commission investigator Everett W. Brown in attempts to set up the integration program.
2. The return of Negroes to two all-Negro stations after their transfer to several white stations under the commission's order.
3. Refusal to discipline personnel who opposed integration.

The commission vote was 4 to 1.

**Future Farmers.**

DAVIS, Calif. (UPI)—Young Californians are taking an optimistic view of the farm future. They have enrolled at the University of California college of agriculture here in greater numbers than in any year since the G.I. rush after World War II.

## TAX ANGLE BROUGHT INTO DAMS DISPUTE

Bar on Rapid Write-off for  
Idaho Power Co. Urged  
by Opponents.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16 (UPI)—The National Hells Canyon Association today asked the Office of Defense Mobilization to deny a rapid tax write-off certificate to the Idaho Power Co. for construction of two dams in the Hells Canyon reach of the Snake river.

The association said in a brief there is no assurance Idaho Power would complete Brownlee and Oxbow dams within the five-year period under which a rapid tax write-off certificate of necessity would apply.

The association said Idaho Power had submitted no proof the dams would aid national defense.

Mrs. Evelyn N. Cooper, attorney for the association, said there has been no public revelation of the estimated cost of the dams to be constructed under a revised licensing order issued by the Federal Power Commission.

Mrs. Cooper told ODM the FPC license to Idaho Power to build the dams was no assurance they would be completed within the necessary five-year period, because the entire issue now is before the court of appeals and may go to the Supreme Court for ultimate determination.

The National Hells Canyon Association favors construction of a high, federal dam at the Hells Canyon site instead of private construction of three low dams. Idaho Power did not ask for a certificate of necessity for the third low dam.

## FORMER ADJUTANT OF HESS HELD BY NAZIS, REDS FREED

CAMP FRIEDLAND, Germany, Dec. 16 (AP)—Karl Heinz Pintsch, 46-year-old former adjutant of Deputy Fuehrer Rudolf Hess, was freed today after 14 years in Nazi and Russian captivity.

Pintsch, a former colonel of the Nazi storm troopers, arrived in a transport of 600 repatriates from Russia. He told reporters he helped Hess plan his sensational "peace mission" flight to England in 1941.

He said he personally reported Hess's flight to Adolf Hitler May 11, 1941, and gave him a memorandum in which Hess outlined his plan. Pintsch said he had a heated discussion with the Fuehrer.

At this time it is madness to make peace with England," he quoted Hitler as telling him. He added, however, he thought Hitler secretly wanted peace with Britain.

He said Martin Bormann, Hitler's party secretary, ordered him put into a concentration camp after his meeting with Hitler. After the war ended, the Russians sentenced him to 25 years at hard labor as a "war criminal."

Hess is serving a life term in Berlin's four-power Spandau jail.

## RICHMOND C. COBURN ELECTED ST. LOUIS C. OF C. CHAIRMAN

Richmond C. Coburn, senior partner in the law firm of Coburn & Croft, has been elected chairman of the board of directors of the St. Louis Chamber of Commerce for 1956. It was announced today.

Coburn will succeed Howard F. Baer, president of A. S. Aloe Co., who served two years as chairman. He has been elected to membership on the Chamber's executive committee for 1956. Coburn has just completed two years of service as vice chairman of the board.

Charles P. Whitehead, president of General Steel Castings Corp. and a member of the Chamber's executive committee in 1955, was elected vice chairman of the board of directors for 1956. Clark Hungerford, president of the St. Louis-San Francisco Railway, also a member of the 1955 executive committee, has been elected treasurer of the Chamber for 1956.

He succeeds Edwin J. Spiegel, president, Gaylord Container Corp., who has been elected to the executive committee for 1956.

## WELCOME FOR ROXANA MAN IN SAUDI-ARABIA 18 MONTHS

The wife and two young daughters of Cecil B. Stark, who has been in Saudi Arabia for 18 months, are looking forward to spending Christmas with him at their home in Roxana.

Stark, an employee of the Arabian-American Oil Co., is scheduled to arrive in New York Monday and journey from there to Roxana in time for the holidays. A Christmas display, including signs announcing "Welcome Home," is in front of the home.

## NEW TOWER FOR KWK-TV IS AUTHORIZED BY FCC

Construction of an 1136-foot television tower by Station KWK-TV in southern St. Louis county has been authorized by the Federal Communications Commission. It was announced yesterday by Ray Dady, station director.

The tower will be on Eavis Barracks road near Union road. Dady said it would add 7000 square miles to the present coverage area of 10,000 square miles provided by the 563-foot tower on the Globe-Democrat Tower Building at Twelfth boulevard and Cole street. It will be finished in six to eight months, Dady estimated.

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'54 Pontiac Star Chief — \$1495	'53 Oldsmobile 88 Super — \$1295	'53 Catalina — \$1295
4-door; fully equipped	4-door; power steering; equipped	Custom Pontiac, fully equipped
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4-door; equipped	210, 2-door; fully equipped	4-door; fully equipped
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### CALLS MODERN BUILDINGS ALL WET—LITERALLY

CHICAGO, Dec. 16 (UP)—Chris Paschen has a bone to pick with modern architecture. Paschen is one of the nation's biggest building maintenance contractors. His grandfather was Chicago's first tuckpointer.

"Modern architecture is all wet," said Paschen. "Literally." For instance, some of the gleaming new glass and steel apartment buildings on Chicago's lakefront "leak like sieves" in a heavy rain, he claimed.

Architecture has gone from one extreme to another, Paschen continued, from the over-stuffed gingerbread motif with ornate cornices and doodads to the stark, sheer "straight up-and-down look."

"These modern buildings just aren't properly sheltered," Paschen said. "Water runs down the sides and seeps into the mortar joints."

Paschen predicts the architectural pendulum will swing back.

"We won't go back to gingerbread," he said. "But I'll bet we get away from all the ultra-modern."

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Dorothy J. Walters — 4749 Vernon  
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C. and R. Bay, 725 St. Marie.  
A. and B. Bennett (twins), 2901A  
Pulaski.  
P. and B. Betts, 2331 Hickory.  
R. and J. Bump, 733 Fairview.  
C. and M. Brown, 6700 Hartner.  
J. and C. Brown, 2445 Lehigh.  
W. and R. Cain, 2908 N. Newstead.  
M. and R. Cassell, East St. Louis.  
M. and L. Chamberlain, 4466 Laclede.  
W. and C. Coleman Sr., East St. Louis.  
C. and M. Davis, East St. Louis.  
G. and M. Dreckhage, 4241A W.  
Farlin.  
L. and R. Forrest Jr., 4208 E. Mar-  
quette.  
J. and R. Grace, 2611A Iowa.  
E. and E. Graf, 2423 Burton.  
P. and G. Graf, 8094 Colonial.  
W. and M. Green, 4182A Millitt.  
W. and M. Gregory Sr., 4261 W. Ash-  
land.  
W. and P. Harris, 3372 Ashby.  
R. and S. Heuschele, 1305A Big Bend.  
J. and W. Hicks, 4139 Madison.  
C. and D. Hubbard, 3717 Vernon.  
D. and M. Jenkins, 4608 Vernon.  
T. and D. Johnson, 3408 Ruiger.  
E. and F. King, 128 Delwood.  
A. and A. Lacey, East St. Louis.  
H. and M. McDermott, 1223 Graham.  
G. and P. Menzel, 2486 Helen.  
J. and U. Miller, 3228 Chippewa.  
H. and M. Kuykendall, 4604A Delmar.  
J. and J. Miller Jr., 4139 Potomac.  
J. and F. Mundt, 1004A Harry.  
D. and L. Nagell, 5231 Bischoff.  
J. and M. Nelson, 4049 Forest Park.  
J. and M. Price, 1450 LaSalle.  
S. and R. Reid, 1450 LaSalle.  
J. and M. Schaeffer, 1402 DeSoto.  
L. and S. Smith, 301 Madison.  
R. and L. Thompson, Robertson.  
J. and T. Turner, 4139 Potomac.  
J. and E. Vinton, 2510A Elliott.  
F. and A. Weber, 2614A Acorn.  
H. and A. Whittier, 933 Tuxedo.

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L. and J. Anderson, 815 Holland.  
J. and B. Betts, 808 Ennis.  
C. and A. Black, East St. Louis.  
C. and B. Bou, East St. Louis.  
W. and B. Bradley, 3110A N. Whittier.  
L. and M. Cannon Jr., East St. Louis.  
W. and M. Coleman, Pevely.  
P. and R. Cordes, 6112 Vetter.  
J. and R. Davidson, East St. Louis.  
H. and C. Dinkins, 411 Cameron.  
C. and A. Dore, 120 Leewood.  
R. and A. Fisher, 1740 Belle.  
J. and P. Golden, 2223 West Belle.  
P. and I. Harper, 3820 Cottage.  
P. and M. Harris, 4812  
H. and H. Hoeman, East St. Louis.  
J. and R. Hubbard, 4305 Potomac.  
T. and E. Kennedy, 834 Evans.  
W. and C. Kuenale Sr., 2215 Missouri.  
M. and M. Macdon, 3514 Edmore.  
H. and N. McCall, East St. Louis.  
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G. and E. Outing, 4554 Labadie.  
J. and M. Pardo, East St. Louis.  
W. and C. Probst, 301 Madison.  
C. and L. Robinson, 4147A Lee.  
W. and E. Sanders, 4101 Elliott.  
R. and R. Saver, 4151A Russell.  
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Maudie L. Funder, 3713 St. George.  
Ernest L. Hume, 96 Overland.  
Lleanor E. Jones, 42 Wendle, Mo.  
President Land, 42 Wendle, Mo.  
Paul F. Schmitz, 65, 3904 Westmin-  
ster.  
Margaret M. Glenhouse, 77, 4014A  
Lindell.  
Theresa Sieto, 88, 5600 Arsenal.  
Michael J. Ludy, 83, 3042 Pace.  
Morris Krost, 72, 5961 Julian.  
Jacob Auer, 64, 4291 City.  
Alexander Rosenthal, 77, 5959 Bar-  
mer.  
Rose Schaefer, 67, 1150 Hamilton.  
Charles R. Gann, 24, 1027 E. Boye.  
Max B. Murray, 65, 2922 Julian.  
Eugene B. Bower, 42, 4291 Barmer.  
Arthur Acker, 63, Webster Acres.  
Clarence P. Reart, 57, 519 W. Davis.  
Mary Emily Shook, 58, 4291 Barmer.  
Lillian F. Pape, 74, 8060A Penna-  
vania.  
Henry A. Anderson, 78, 1861 Kemper.  
Clarence A. Bodson, 55, 2107 E.  
Grand.  
Charles Smith, 63, 3135 Lucas.  
Daniel Tyus, 43, 4522 Newberry.  
Frank Webb, 63, 2750 Lehigh.  
St. Louis County.  
Helen M. Morris, 67, 54 Casson.  
Fred Smith, 83, 6316 Grand.  
Carolyn M. Guburna, 71, 8 Spring-  
brook.  
Lucie M. Covell, 92, 711 E. Kingswood.  
Nettie Delasia, 75, 1435 N. 2nd.  
Maudie Wanous, 83, 600 S. Elmora.  
Mattie Hamman, 83, 8107 Winfield.  
Minnie C. Ewing, 83, 3755 Carson.  
William Korte, 82, 4321 Duane.  
Minerva J. Shelton, 80, 1424 Missa-  
issippi.  
James Lyons, 60, 444 McGuire.  
James R. Graham, 49, 800 Cornal.  
Thomas G. Casagrande, 47, Affton.  
Virginia Greco, 79, 2456 Shannon.  
Charles C. Lake, 82, 8104 Indiana.  
James G. Baine, 58, Chesterfield.  
Frank Pfeiffer, 65, 9564 Old  
Homestead.  
Fred J. Riley, 79, 7209 Delta.  
Mary E. Callahan, 77, 7571 Lind-  
bergh.  
James M. Fletcher, 87, 3724 Sylvan.  
William Decker, 87, 3724 Sylvan.  
Columbus Moore, 87, Benton.  
William Decker, 87, Benton.  
Leo A. Blinner, 65, Manchester.  
Ann M. Laughlin, 67, 6730 Hartner.  
Ervin R. Schaefer, 76, 3147 Walter.  
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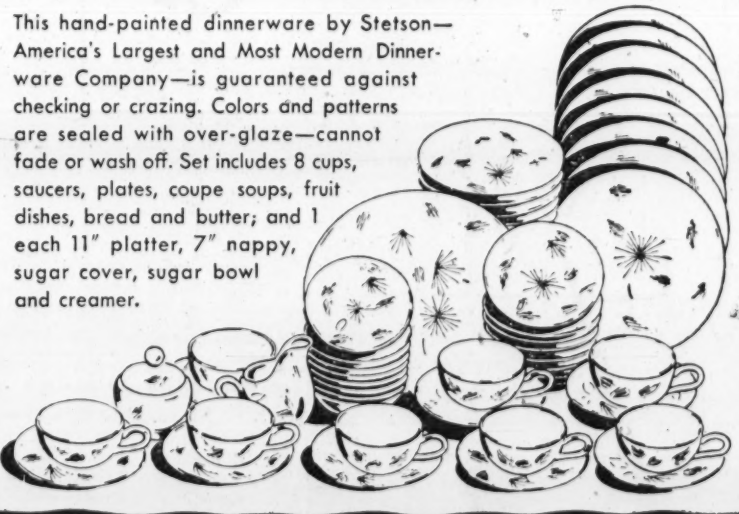
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# NASHUA'S FIRST START FOR NEW OWNER AT HIALEAH

## COMBS HAD PARTNERS IN BID OF \$1,251,200

LEXINGTON, Ky., Dec. 16 (UP)—Nashua's new owner, Leslie Combs II, indicated today he is mapping a busy 1956 racing campaign for the champion colt.

The prominent Kentucky breeder - owner purchased Nashua yesterday for a record price of \$1,251,200 from the estate of the late William Woodward Jr.

"Primarily we bought him (Nashua) as a stallion because I wanted his cross in our breeding lines," Combs said. "Of course, he might pay out as a racehorse before we retire him, and we certainly wouldn't object to that."

Combs added that "two or three others went into this thing with me, but I'm not at liberty to say who they are."

According to present plans, Nashua will be shipped next week to Hialeah Park in Florida, where he has been nominated for the \$50,000 McLennan Handicap and the \$100,000 Widener Cap. The colt currently is wintering at A. B. Hancock's Claiborne Stud, only a few miles from Combs' Spendthrift Farm, and will remain there until leaving for Florida.

**Challenges Citation's Record.** Nashua already has earned \$243,415 in two years of racing and, according to Combs' tentative plans, will get a chance to surpass the all-time record of \$1,085,760 earned by the great Citation. He also has been nominated for the Santa Anita Handicap this winter.

In a telephone conversation last night with Dr. Charles H. Strub, executive vice president of Santa Anita, Combs said he "personally wished" Nashua might run at that track, too, but announced the final decision would rest with Sunny Jim Fitzsimmons, who has been retained as the colt's trainer.

At Miami, Fla., Fitzsimmons said that Combs told him "to take the horse and do what you want with him." The veteran trainer said that he told Combs, "under those conditions I will be happy to have the horse again."

Nashua's sale was announced at New York, where the entire Woodward stable of 62 horses was disposed of for \$1,866,200. Nine other race horses and 12 yearlings were sold to John Kroese of Teaneck, N.J., for a reported \$220,000, while Mildred W. Woolwine of Lexington acquired 24 brood mares and 16 weanlings for a reported \$395,000.

A total of 16 bids were received for the various groups of horses. Nashua alone attracted 11 bids, five of which exceeded \$100,000.

**Previous High \$700,000.** The previous record price for a thoroughbred was \$700,000 paid by the National Stud of Ireland for Tulyar, who was sold by the Aga Khan. Combs also headed a syndicate in 1948 which purchased Alibhai from Louis B. Mayer for \$500,000—the former American record.

Woodward's Blair Stud holdings were placed in the hands of executors for disposal following the death of the New York sportsman from accidental gunshot wounds, Oct. 30.

Belair horses carried the stable's famed polka dot silks to three Kentucky Derby victories and also accounted for countless other stake races in this country and England.

**Tulyar Figured in \$1,392,000 Deal.**

NEW YORK, Dec. 16 (AP)—Nashua may be the highest priced horse ever sold, but he's not the most expensive bit of horse flesh around.

If this sounds contradictory here's the explanation: Nashua was sold for \$1,251,200 yesterday.

Tulyar brought \$1,392,000 in two transactions. His breeder, The Aga Khan, sold the 1952 Epsom Derby winner to the Irish National Stud for \$700,000. A couple of months ago an American syndicate purchased him from the Irish Stud for \$672,000.

**Belair Won \$4,741,598 Under Sunny Jim.**

NEW YORK, Dec. 16 (AP)—Belair Stud's famous red and white silks passed from an American racing scene as the leading money winner of the year with earnings of \$831,423.

Nashua, who was sold for \$1,251,200, earned the greater part of it in winning \$752,550 as the stable colors were carried to victory in 24 races. They were second 19 times and third on 30 other occasions.

Since 1923, two years before Sunny Jim Fitzsimmons became Belair's head trainer, the stable has won \$4,741,598. The records for that period show 683 firsts, 610 seconds and 591 thirds.

The stable, owned by the late William Woodward Sr. and Jr., also led all others in 1939, was second in 1930 and third in 1932, but 1955 was by far the best financially.

**Ski Coach Resigns.** CERVINIA, Italy, Dec. 16 (UP)—Fred Roessner resigned yesterday as coach of the Austrian Olympic ski team in order to devote more attention to his position as professor at Salzburg University.

## No Wonder the Boys Like to Skate



Among the skaters engaged in the weekly workouts at the Winter Garden rink, preparatory to the annual Silver Skates carnival, are these young ladies, getting ready for action. From left: RUTH DIEHL, intermediate class; MARLENE ELBREDER, intermediate; GLORIA DIEHL, senior and ELLEN SCHROEDER, senior.

## Carter Defeats Bluth, Takes Third Place in Match Play; Weber Wins

CHICAGO, Dec. 16—Although handicapped by an injured left knee, Don Carter chopped down fellow St. Louisan and Budweiser teammate, Ray Bluth, three games out of four with an 847 series in the fifth round of the national match game bowling tournament today.

Carter, who hurt his knee in the third frame of the last game last night, rolled an even slower ball than usual, but lost nothing in effectiveness. He beat Bluth in the first two games, 222-193 and 222-163, dropped one to Ray, 226-210, then won the last one, 193-177.

In another fifth round match, Dick Weber of St. Louis won two, tied one, and lost one to Walter Cuches of Brooklyn. Weber totaled 860 to 851 for Cuches.

Carter was in third place after the fifth round with 20 games of the 64 bowled, Weber was fourth and Bluth was in eleventh place.

Mrs. Carter was eighth among the women.

Mrs. Don Carter split her fifth, consecutive two-game match, this time with Phyllis Notaro of Angola, N.Y. Mrs. Carter had 363 and Miss Notaro 370.

## WEBER SECOND, CARTER FIFTH AFTER 16 GAMES

CHICAGO, Dec. 16—The Indianapolis school board, of all people, must get the credit for discovering that Dick Weber was a professional athlete. The Hoosier educators decided it when Dick was just 14 years old. Yesterday the bowling world agreed that yes, indeed, Dick Weber is a real pro.

Weber, a 25-year-old freshman member of the Budweisers, led three St. Louis shooters in the national match game tournament's first day's action by taking over second place in the 16-man standings. Dick rolled a 3319 pin total for his 16 games, winning 10 and losing 6, for a Peteren point total of 76.19. The only man ahead of him is 49-year-old Joe Wilman of Chicago, who has 79.34.

Don Carter, St. Louis's two-time national champion, came back strong after an unhappy first block and holds fifth place with 73.26 points. In eleventh position, but showing definite signs of life, is St. Louis's third men's representative, Ray Bluth, with 71.35. Carter shot 3326 and Bluth 3235.

**Mrs. Carter in Ninth Spot.** In the women's competition, Carter's wife, Laverne, made an impressive showing, breaking even in her eight games against some of the tournament's best woman bowlers, and grabbing ninth place. The heavy pre-tournament favorite, five-time winner Marion Ladewig, of Grand Rapids, Mich., has failed

to make her move thus far, and holds fourteenth place. Anita Cantaline of Detroit is first after winning all eight of her games.

**Burwell Will Handle Pirate 'Farm' Clubs** PITTSBURGH, Dec. 16 (UP)—Bill Burwell, manager of the Lincoln Chiefs of the Western League, was recalled by the Pittsburgh Pirates and will serve as managerial consultant for the Pittsburgh farm clubs next season.

A Pirates spokesman said Burwell, a veteran of 41 years in baseball, also will act as a trouble-shooter and will handle special scouting assignments.

Burwell held the same position here in 1954 before he was sent to Lincoln to work with outstanding pitching prospects in the Pirate organization.

## St. Louis Tourney Scores

FIRST ROUND	
Carter	190 125 195 224-851
Cuches	228 184 212 227-851
Bluth	225 199 200 244-851
Weber	192 184 181 193-750
Bluth	195 158 points, Bluth 16.02
Laverne Carter	205 165-370
Marion Ladewig	169 129-392
Points—Mrs. Ladewig 8.42, Mrs. Carter 8.20	
SECOND ROUND	
Weber	228 206 206 244-887
Ed Labanski	223 203 203 108-848
Points—Weber 20.32, Labanski 17.6	
Bluth	211 169 190 224-794
T. Hennessy	212 158 238 238-887
Points—Hennessy 21.27, Bluth 15.44	
Carter	211 166 211 213-801
Lon Camp	201 200 204 187-792
Points—Carter 16.01, Camp 16.02	
Laverne Carter	195 181-376
53 Mrs. Wenz	181 197-378
Points—Miss Wenz 8.38, Mrs. Carter 8.26	
THIRD ROUND	
Weber	175 143 207 232-757
Joe Wilman	218 184 204 221-827
Points—Wilman 19.27, Weber 15.37	
Bluth	245 188 181 227-843
Stan Thaden	213 216 181 260-860
Points—Bluth 19.41, Thaden 17.03	
Don Carter	213 225 207 211-856
John Quinlan	192 222 201 203-818
Points—Carter 21.08, Quinlan 17.17	
Laverne Carter	176 157-360

## Sunday Play Expected To Boost Vancouver Attendance by 50,000

OAKLAND, Calif., Dec. 16 (UP)—C. L. (Brick) Laws, president of the Vancouver Mounties of the Pacific Coast League, said today that approval of Sunday sports in Vancouver would add "at least 50,000" to the season's total attendance this year.

Vancouver voted Wednesday to allow Sunday sports.

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The National Basketball Association game tomorrow between New York and Fort Wayne will be telecast by Post-Dispatch Station KSD-TV at 2 p.m.

Pro championship between Cleveland Browns and Los Angeles Rams, Dec. 26; Blue-Gray game, Dec. 31, and the Cotton and Rose Bowl games on Jan. 2.

## Lakers and Syracuse Score 268 Points in Game for New Record

SYRACUSE, N.Y., Dec. 16 (UP)—Two new scoring records went into the National Basketball Association book today as a result of the Minneapolis Lakers' hair-raising 135-133 victory over the Syracuse Nationals in a triple-overtime game.

The 63-min battle of Syracuse's War Memorial Auditorium produced a two-team total of 266 points to erase the old mark of 248 set in the same city by Syracuse and Anderson in five overtimes on Nov. 24, 1949, won by Syracuse, 125-123.

The Nationals' total of 133 points was the highest score ever posted by a losing N.B.A. team, topping Anderson's total of 131 in a same five-overtime struggle.

In regulation time, Jim Tucker's jump shot for Syracuse with five seconds left tied the count, 105-105. In the first overtime, Chuck Mencil of the Lakers sank a long one-hander with two seconds left to tie, 116-116. In the second overtime, two free throws by Ed Conlin of the Nats with 25 seconds created a 125-125 tie.

In the third overtime, Dick Garmaker's only goal of the game proved the game's biggest shot. With 10 seconds left he staked 132-130 with a 45° layup. Adolph Schayes had 34

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Selvy will be on leave from

Ft. Knox from now until the end of the year, Owner Ben Kerner of the Hawks said. That means he also will play in St. Louis Sunday and Dec. 27 against Boston.

## FIGHT RESULTS

By the Associated Press.

LOS ANGELES—Art Aronson, 147½, Los Angeles, outpointed Don Jordan, 136, Los Angeles (10). Heavy Art Aronson, 136, Brooklyn, outpointed Bobby Woods, 155, Spokane (10). Flanagan, 156, St. Paul, outpointed Jimmy Martin, 157½, Phoenix, Ariz. (10). George Dayton, outpointed Glen Flanagan, 136, St. Paul (10). Rich, Gene White, 186, St. Paul, outpointed Don Jasper, 192, Duluth (8).

LOS ANGELES—La-Herrie Rodriguez, 147, New Orleans, knocked out Gus Garrett, 149, Houston, Tex. (3). Ray, George, 156, Garfield, N.J., outpointed Hagley Smallwood, 159, Brooklyn, stopped Pete Adams, 157½, Newark, N.J. (3).

## Hannibal-La Grange Wins Fourth in Row

HANNIBAL, Mo., Dec. 16 (AP)—Hannibal-LaGrange College defeated St. Joseph, Mo., J. C. 77-66, last night to record its ninth straight win in as many starts.

Center Art Day, led the Trojans to victory with 25 points in a game that was tied 24 times. Jack Thompson hit 23 for St. Joseph.

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	PG.	FT	FG	PF	PTS		
Arlizin f	1	2	2	2	1	8	
Graboski f	1	1	2	2	3	1	
Shubert f	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Moore f	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Davidson f	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Davis c	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Reese f	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Gola g	2	4	7	6	8	8	
Reese f	2	0	0	0	0	0	
Dempsey c	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Totals	31	18	27	22	80		
PORT WADSWORTH (#80)							
	PG.	FT	FG	PF	PTS		
Hutchings f	1	1	2	2	3	4	
Vardley f	1	1	2	2	3	3	
Shubert f	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Arnall f	1	3	3	3	0	9	
Reese f	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Houghton c	0	1	1	1	1	0	
Phillips f	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Dawson f	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Dawson f	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Totals	27	19	27	20	73		
Scores by Periods							
Philadelphia	20	20	10	20	80		
Port Wadsworth	10	10	10	42	72		
MINNEAPOLIS (135)							
	PG.	FT	FG	PF	PTS		
Mikkelsen f	1	1	3	3	2	6	
Karlstrom f	1	1	3	3	2	6	
Shubert f	1	1	1	1	1	3	
Garmaker f	1	1	1	1	0	3	
Reese f	1	1	1	1	1	3	
Hitch c	1	1	1	1	3	3	
Reese f	1	1	1	1	1	3	
Martin c	1	6	8	9	2	16	
Mikkelsen f	1	6	8	9	2	16	
Totals	49	37	42	31	135		
SYRACUSE (135)							
	PG.	FT	FG	PF	PTS		
Schayes f	11	12	13	4	34	34	
Conlin f	2	10	12	4	24	24	
Reese f	1	3	3	3	6	6	
Kerr c	13	3	4	3	29	29	
Kerr c	1	1	1	1	2	2	
Reese f	1	3	3	3	6	6	
Parke f	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Reese f	1	3	3	3	21	21	
Totals	49	35	47	33	133		
Scores by Periods							
Minneapolis	4	5	6	7			
Syracuse	22	11	9	10	133		
EASTERN DIVISION							
	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.	
N.Y.	11	8	.579	Syracuse	9	10	.476
WESTERN DIVISION							
	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.	
Roche f	11	12	.476	Port Wadsworth	11	4	.731
S.L. St. Louis	8	14	.364	Minneapolis	7	15	.313



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**Minnesota Board to Support New York In Managers' Case**  
ST. PAUL, Dec. 16 (AP)—The Minnesota Athletic Commission went on record in support of the action of Julius Helfand, New York Athletic Commissioner, in outlawing the New York Boxing Managers' Guild.

George A. Barton, chairman of the Minnesota commission, advised Helfand of the action by telegram.

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## National League Miscellaneous Records

**INDIVIDUAL MISCELLANEOUS RECORDS**  
(Qualifies for Slugging Championship)  
Note: Intentional bases on balls are included in total B.B.

Player and Club	G.	AB.	TR.	PC.	RBI.	BB.	SO.	HR.	Gr. In.
May, New York	152	580	282	850	127	78	13	60	4
Snyder, Brooklyn	148	558	238	628	136	104	10	87	1
Nathans, Milwaukee	141	499	209	603	101	109	20	98	1
Banks, Chicago	134	596	255	596	117	43	6	72	2
Kluszewski, Cincinnati	131	492	238	583	113	86	23	40	1
Campanella, Brooklyn	123	446	240	583	107	56	9	41	1
Patt, Cincinnati	124	461	245	574	108	5	42	13	1
Musial, Cardinals	134	562	218	566	108	80	39	39	1
Aaron, Milwaukee	133	492	225	540	106	49	5	61	2
Furillo, Brooklyn	140	525	272	520	93	43	5	43	1
Ennis, Philadelphia	146	564	292	518	120	46	8	46	2
Long, Pittsburgh	131	419	215	513	79	48	6	72	1
Hell, Cincinnati	124	410	211	510	104	54	2	91	3
Houder, Brooklyn	120	546	273	509	102	71	40	3	1
Burgess, Phila.-Cin.	123	442	219	493	78	50	5	36	1
Rosen, Cardinals	147	512	209	487	73	49	3	46	4
Moore, Cardinals	132	493	272	459	76	47	4	65	3
Franklin, Milwaukee	133	440	201	457	42	40	11	36	2
Abner, Philadelphia	140	525	259	448	42	103	5	38	3
Jackson, Chicago	138	499	240	445	70	58	6	58	1
Loon, Milwaukee	134	482	263	442	83	58	1	58	4
Virgil, Cardinals	144	524	251	433	68	36	3	64	1
Thompson, Pittsburgh	142	510	220	431	72	60	10	75	2
E. Frazier, Pittsburgh	134	455	194	428	44	34	4	57	0
Boyer, Cardinals	147	539	255	408	82	43	6	72	4
Fondy, Chicago	120	574	242	422	65	35	6	87	2
Bruton, Milwaukee	145	553	223	403	61	78	1	60	3
Johnson, Brooklyn	135	512	272	398	63	84	4	56	4
Thompson, New York	125	475	187	394	45	49	1	32	3
Dickerson, New York	142	505	243	382	59	4	1	32	3
Baker, Chicago	134	469	229	382	52	49	1	34	2
Lockman, Philadelphia	124	474	221	382	47	14	8	60	2
Clemente, Pittsburgh	147	538	251	355	40	70	4	37	6
Graham, Brooklyn	131	481	218	354	49	73	0	72	0
Hammer, Philadelphia	104	405	186	344	49	73	0	72	0
Miller, Philadelphia	131	481	198	328	41	32	3	32	3
McMillan, Cincinnati	130	480	191	323	37	46	0	32	1
O'Connell, Milwaukee	124	453	143	316	40	28	2	43	5

**INDIVIDUAL MISCELLANEOUS RECORDS**  
(Non-qualifier for Slugging or More Games)  
Note: Intentional bases on balls are included in total B.B.

Player and Club	G.	AB.	TR.	PC.	RBI.	BB.	SO.	HR.	Gr. In.
Jay, Milwaukee	12	3	2	697	0	8	0	0	0
Newcombe, Brooklyn	57	34	0	625	19	8	0	10	0
Conner, Chicago	34	111	62	559	13	6	19	0	0
Loon, Milwaukee	59	203	163	338	58	58	1	1	1
Lonka, Philadelphia	99	203	163	338	58	58	1	1	1
Loon, Milwaukee	59	203	163	338	58	58	1	1	1
Taylor, New York	63	64	33	516	12	1	0	16	0
Waller, Milwaukee	23	2	1	509	0	0	0	0	0
Waller, Milwaukee	23	2	1	509	0	0	0	0	0
Crowe, Milwaukee	104	316	107	474	4	4	0	4	0
Waller, Milwaukee	11	1	0	474	4	4	0	4	0
Moore, Brooklyn	28	28	13	464	4	2	0	14	0
Furillo, Pittsburgh	84	285	135	469	45	31	4	44	2
Roberts, Philadelphia	51	107	50	467	13	18	0	11	0
Moore, Brooklyn	28	28	13	464	4	2	0	14	0
Spencer, Brooklyn	29	28	13	464	4	2	0	14	0
Boyd, Philadelphia	13	24	11	458	4	2	0	11	0
Rhodes, New York	88	282	123	443	28	22	4	33	0
Johnson, Pittsburgh	112	301	127	443	28	22	4	33	0
Zimmer, Brooklyn	95	261	112	429	43	28	4	31	1
King, Chicago	112	301	127	443	28	22	4	33	0
Landrith, Cincinnati	43	87	42	423	31	21	4	33	0
Thompson, Milwaukee	104	316	107	474	4	4	0	4	0
Adams, Cincinnati	69	150	69	413	20	20	0	2	0
Thompson, Milwaukee	104	316	107	474	4	4	0	4	0
Seminick, Phila.-Cin.	99	304	123	405	25	32	2	32	8
Harris, New York	74	251	80	403	28	13	1	62	8
Johnson, Cincinnati	74	251	80	403	28	13	1	62	8
Amos, Brooklyn	119	358	152	400	10	0	0	0	0
Boyd, Philadelphia	13	24	11	458	4	2	0	11	0
Harmon, Cincinnati	96	198	77	381	38	18	0	40	1
Freeman, Cincinnati	53	15	7	389	3	1	0	3	0

## Norm Stewart Averaging 26.5 For Missouri

Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
COLUMBIA, Mo., Dec. 16—Coach Sparky Stalcup sang the same old story of the height advantage he was giving away but added a new twist, fear of the Hoosier fast break, as the Missouri Tigers completed preparations for the Indiana game here tomorrow night.

Stalcup says the Tigers lack speed to use the fast break throughout the game and fears that he must sacrifice offensive speed to keep the Indians, who have a 2-1 record, under control. Missouri, consequently, is planning a more deliberate type of game than it has used this season in defeating South Dakota, Texas Tech and Illinois and losing to Purdue.

The Hoosiers will use 6-8 Archie Dees at center, and he has nearly a three-inch reach over the tallest the Tigers can offer, Chuck Denny at 6-5½. At other positions, though, something of a balance is achieved.

Norm Stewart, Tiger senior guard and all-America hopeful, raised his scoring average to

26.5 points with 35- and 31-point outbursts in the last two games against Texas Tech and Illinois. That's 10 points better than his average over the season last year, but then he was feeding Bob Reiter, 6-8 center, to a new Missouri scoring record and this season he has been shooting more himself. He already has knocked off a pair of Reiter's records and may eclipse more before the season ends.

Stewart, who is hitting at a 44.7 per cent from the field—42 baskets in 94 tries—and 75.9 from the free-throw line, 22 of 29—can be the first Tiger to break 1000 points in three years of competition and break Reiter's season record of 411 points if he can maintain a 16-point scoring average in remaining games. He has scored 712 points so far in his career.

The probable starters:  
Brown, 6-2 F. Ross, 6-2 G. Choice, 6-4 F. Reiter, 6-10 G. Brown, 6-3 F. Denny, 6-10 G. Thompson, 6-4 G. Smith, 6-2½

**Mid-City Twin Bill.**  
The DeMentis will meet the Londoffs in the first game of the Mid-City girls basketball league doubleheader tomorrow afternoon at 1:30 at the Salvation Army gym, 2200 South Seventh street. The Jeffersons will oppose Rock Alumnæ in the second contest.

## .659 Slugging Average for Willie Mays

NEW YORK, Dec. 16 (UP)—Willie Mays, the New York Giants' brilliant center fielder, today officially became the first player in a decade to win the National League's slugging crown two consecutive years.

Figures released by the Elias Baseball Bureau revealed that the 24-year-old Mays compiled a .659 slugging percentage and also topped the circuit in total bases with 382. Duke Snider of the Brooklyn Dodgers ranked second in slugging with .628 while Ted Kluszewski of the Cincinnati Redlegs was second in total bases with 358.

Mays, who also led the circuit in slugging with a .667 percentage in 1954, is the first National League player to win two straight slugging crowns since Stan Musial of the Cardinals did it in 1943 and 1944. Other National League players who have won the slugging crown in consecutive campaigns were Johnny Mize, Chuck Klein, Rogers Hornsby and the late, Hans Wagner.

Slugging percentages are determined by dividing total bases by the number of times at bat. Mays, who played in 152 games, compiled his 382 bases in 580 official times at bat. He collected 185 hits, including a league-leading 51 home runs, 13 triples and 18 doubles.

Snider compiled his .628 percentage with 338 total bases for 538 at-bats. He had 166 hits, 42 homers, six triples and 34 doubles. Kluszewski amassed his 358 total bases on 192 hits, including 47 homers and 25 doubles, but failed to hit a single triple.

Musial ranked eighth in slugging with .566. His 318 total bases marked the eleventh time he passed 300 in his career—an N.L. record.

Eddie Mathews of the Milwaukee Braves, who ranked third with a .601 slugging percentage, led in bases on balls with 109. Richie Ashburn, the league's batting champion, ranked second with 105, while Kluszewski's 25 intentional

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passes were tops for that department.

Outfielder Don Mueller of the Giants struck out only 12 times for the best showing in that category.

## 22-Hour Wait to Get

**First Rose Bowl Duat**  
PASADENA, Calif., Dec. 16 (UP)—A 16-year-old Altadena, Calif., boy smiled broadly yesterday after ending a 22-hour wait to become the first to get a 1956 Rose Bowl ticket.

First in line was Bill Pauro, who began his vigil at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday and "camped out" overnight with more than 2000 persons, all seeking a ticket to the Michigan State U.C.L.A. game Jan. 2.

Hundreds of persons were disappointed in their quest for

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Tim Flock, of Atlanta, took down the NASCAR Grand National Stock Car Racing Championship with his Chrysler 300.

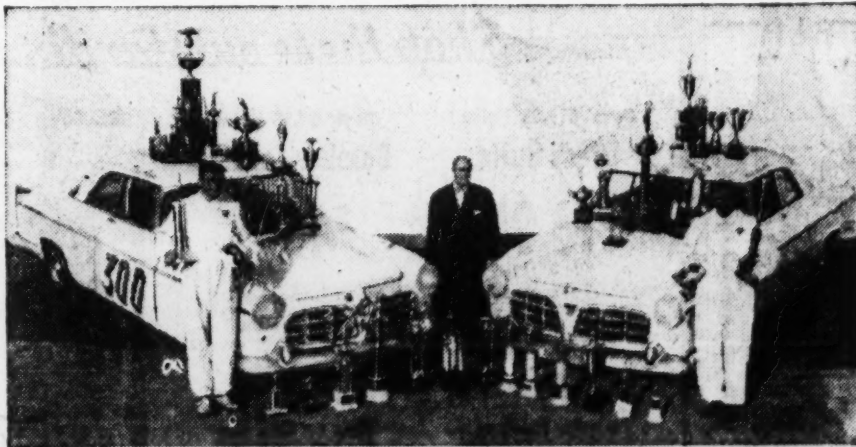
The American Automobile Association crown went to the Chrysler 300 piloted by Frank Mundy, also of Atlanta.

Wins chalked up by Chrysler total 37 . . . nearly four times more than the runner-up car which had only 10. And in percentage of wins and places in NASCAR races — Chrysler again led the field of 14 different makes of cars by a wide margin.

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


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-  DUQUOIN, ILL., 9/3
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(AT ST. LOUIS)			
Yien	181	187	191
Scott	180	205	199
Brant	206	219	202
Hucker	201	185	189
Holsey	225	225	236
Total	993	1029	1017
Pitchers (2)			
Patterson	109	181	203
Wilson	187	198	218
Griffith	180	187	212
Harris	192	192	192
Boyer	201	251	162
Total	949	969	1005
Batter (3)			
Jung	186	178	176
Fitter	185	190	206
Radarsco	182	233	187
Taff	187	193	179
Lucido	181	205	200
Total	884	999	948
Catcher (3)			
Johnston	189	202	164
Morris	180	206	211
Mads	175	177	190
McDonald	186	184	188
Welling	186	184	188
Total	925	928	946
G.B. (3)			
Malaya	192	237	191
Volney	180	181	177
Porter	183	171	195
Yonick	180	186	181
Kelpe	140	178	172
Total	865	851	930
Thumper (3)			
Schmelle	179	178	181
Frederic	186	220	188
Dalton	184	200	184
Anderson	186	209	235
Snodell	186	209	235
Total	809	971	917

### CLASSIC LEAGUE

(AT WELLSTON LANE)			
Rothermich	179	222	193
Floyd	181	211	215
Auburn	184	172	219
Henkel	188	176	144
Wesley	149	203	184
Total	848	904	855
Pitcher (1)			
Campbell	149	185	169
Donnelly	180	192	191
Henkel	184	182	198
Wilson	174	188	199
Meyers	201	185	194
Total	841	882	911
Batter (2)			
McCullough	199	202	193
Ena	235	137	169
O'Neal	178	157	204
Ziem	222	195	192
Holcher	180	133	206
Total	1017	844	917
Ave. (1)			
Blocker	149	200	174
Rose	188	200	193
Costello	206	206	176
Purke	242	200	193
Pratt	196	230	141
Total	981	1018	849
Stewman (3)			
Petrov	243	234	198
Schuebauer	219	214	203
Rembrock	184	222	203
Cronin	160	226	202
Sterling	188	208	193
Total	954	1104	902
Hala's (3)			
Lococo	131	213	211
Calto	206	170	193
Schmidt	180	191	177
Thompson	181	141	210
Holmes	164	233	175
Total	882	950	966
Wellston Lane (2)			
Nagle	190	180	202
Judd	210	169	229
Perren	143	188	186
Rio	189	109	189
Kluge	223	160	202
Total	942	850	1017
Pin-Mor Lane (1)			
Watkins	227	241	193
Damotte	181	177	188
Lombard	181	194	154
Lucido	161	174	227
Merford	180	153	200
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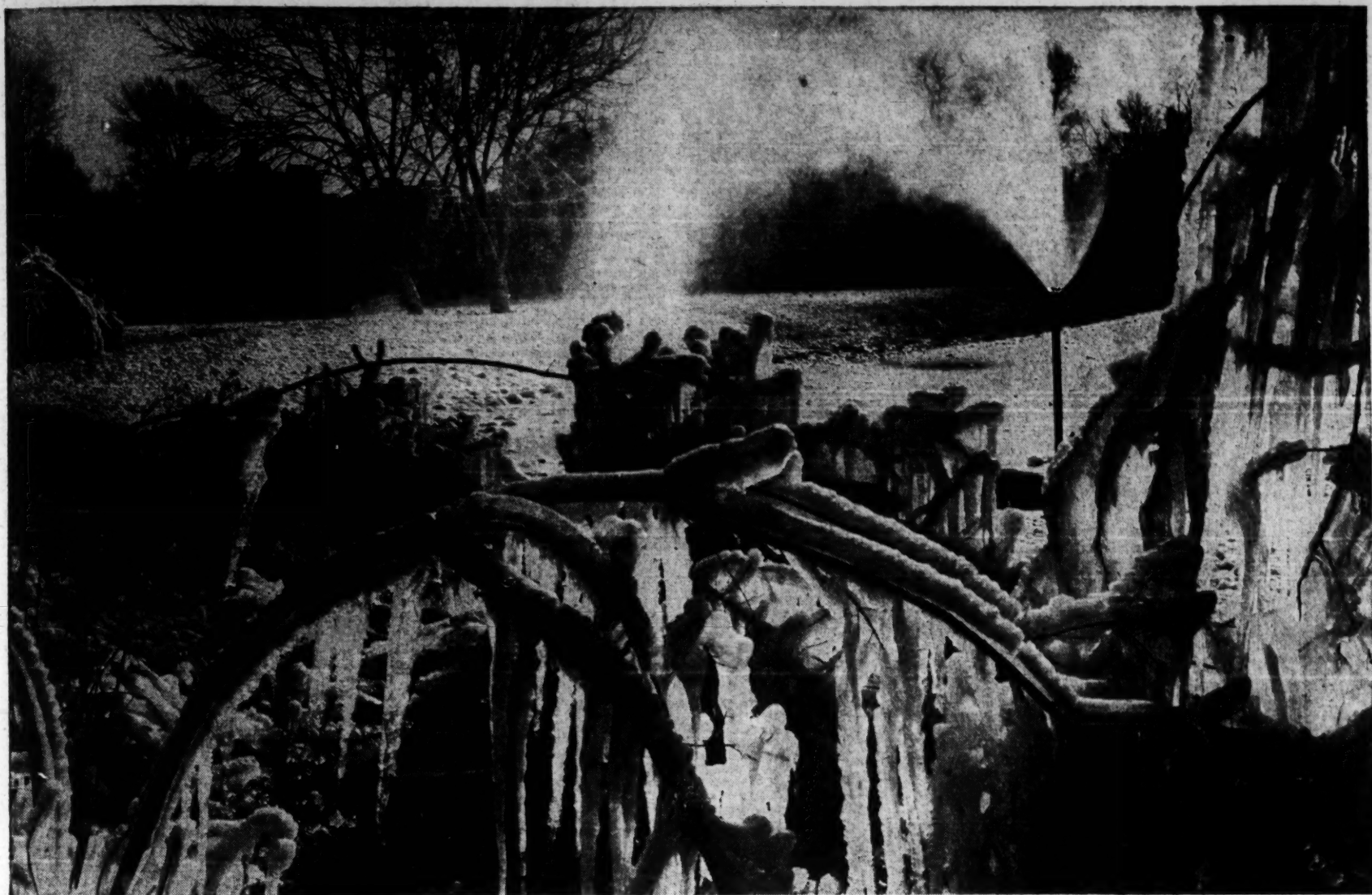
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## PATTERN OF WINTER IN FOREST PARK

Branches sheathed in ice glittering in unscheduled cold weather display at Forest Park. Water spurting from pipe in background was left running in an effort to restore the level of hatching lake near the park entrance at Lindell and Union boulevards. Unseasonably bitter weather complicated the project.

—By Lester Link, a Post-Dispatch Photographer.



## RECORD LOAD

The world's largest helicopter, designated the XH-17 by the Air Force, lifting 7800-pound trailer van—largest object ever carried by a helicopter—to complete its series of tests. Built by the Hughes Aircraft Co. at Culver City, Calif., the huge craft weighs more than 46,000 pounds and has a rotor blade 136 feet long. It is powered by gas turbines and traveled 70 miles an hour in one test run.

—Associated Press Wirephoto.



## HUNTER RESCUED

W. E. Haywood of Portsmouth, Va., being carried from helicopter by Hersey Glover after being picked up yesterday in Virginia's Dismal Swamp where he had been lost since Monday. Haywood, 66 years old, and his son, Alton, lost their way in the desolate area while hunting squirrel and were in weakened condition when found after four days in the bitter cold.

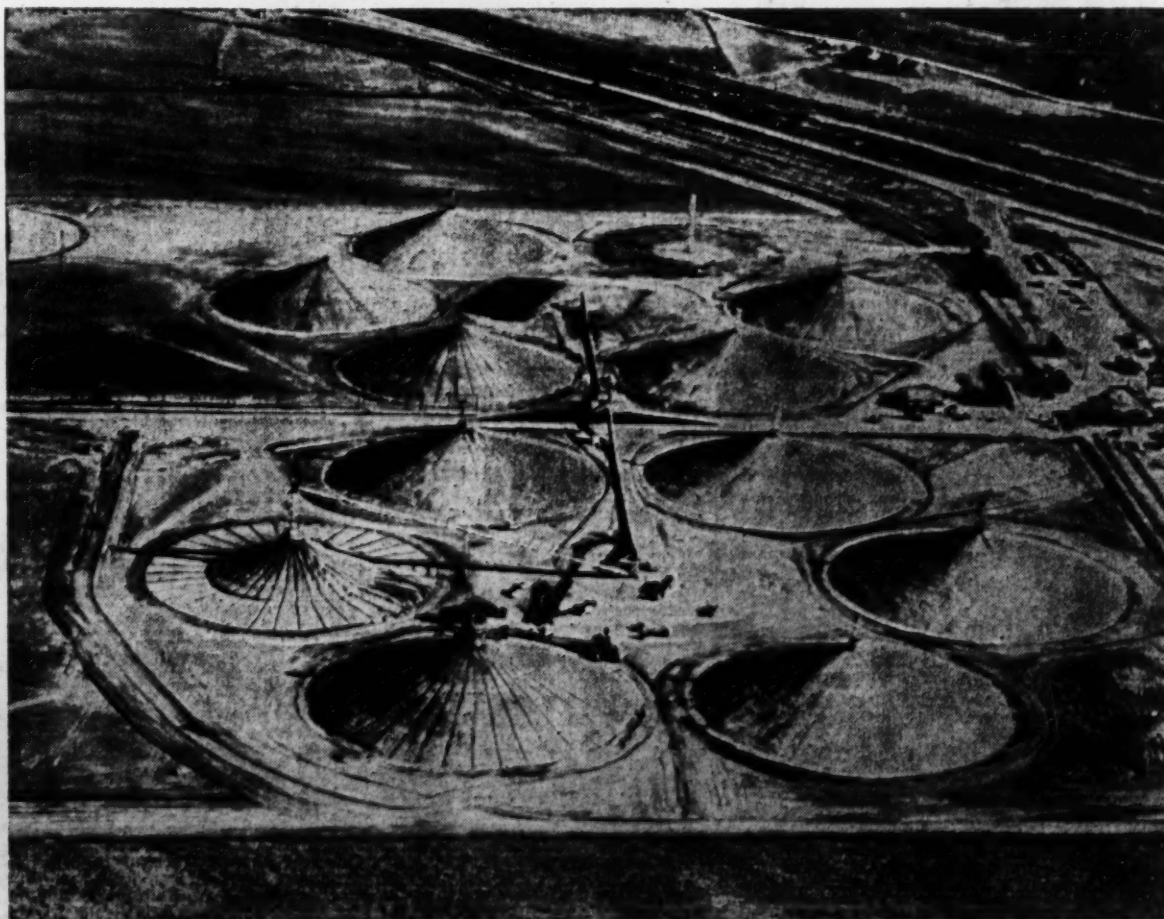
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## ROUGH TIME ON PICKET LINE

Both sides show signs of wear and tear as union officers Americo Fiore (left) and Angelo Calisti are removed from picket line at Westinghouse plant at Trenton, N. J. Action came yesterday following clash of striking electrical workers and non-union employees seeking to return to work. Police arrested 14 of the pickets.

—Associated Press Wirephoto.



## FARM SURPLUS FORMATION

Circus-like pattern is formed by huge bags in farm surplus storage area south of St. Joseph, Mo. Each of the containers has a capacity of about 1,000,000 bushels of wheat. Bag at left center is in process of being filled. When bags are filled, zipper-like closures which form dark lines on bags are sealed to protect the wheat from the weather.

—Associated Press Wirephoto.



## Christmas at Palace

## Chef Gives Recipes For a King's Dinner

By Virginia Kachan

CHICAGO, Dec. 16 (INS).

WANT to try a dinner fit for a King and Queen on Christmas day?

Rene Roussin, who was chef for the late King George VI and his wife, now Queen Mother Elizabeth,



QUEEN MOTHER ELIZABETH

and is currently serving as an adviser to Julian Schwartz, owner of Rickett's restaurant in Chicago, has drawn up a royal menu with recipes.

Roussin actually served two dinners each Christmas during his years—from 1937 to 1947—at Buckingham Palace. The first meal was for mid-day and typically began with roast turkey and chestnut dressing; roast potatoes; braised celery; tiny French peas; lettuce or endive with French dressing and

either plum pudding or mince pie.

The second holiday meal, Roussin said, was held in the palace about 7 o'clock in the evening, according to British custom. After a glass of dry sherry wine, the King, Queen, family and guests would sit down to the following dinner on Christmas night:

Beef consomme, clear; fillet of sole Waleska—dry white wine; mignonette a la reine—red Bordeaux wine; roast chicken with bread sauce—red wine; pommes chateaux (potatoes that are peeled and roasted with the chicken); string beans; lettuce or endive with French dressing; soufflé glace au café—champagne; petit fours; savory—cassolette au jambons—sparkling red wine, and coffee and cognac in demi tasse.

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For women who would like to try a royal menu for their families, Roussin supplied the following recipes:

## Fillet of Sole Waleska.

Poach fillets in milk, white sauce, yolk of one egg, sliced cooked lobster meat, truffles, grated cheese.

Method: Lay each fillet of sole on a dish large enough to hold all the fish to be served. Over each fillet place a slice of lobster and a slice of truffle. Add egg yolk to white sauce, stir and pour over the fillets. Sprinkle grated cheese over sauce. Place dish in hot oven until food is brown and serve very hot.

## White Sauce.

One-fourth pound butter, one tablespoon flour, two cups milk.

Melt butter, stir in flour and then add boiling milk, stirring very quickly and removing from flame quickly to avoid burning.

## Mignonette a la Reine.

Bone the best cut of lamb chop and use only the round center of the meat, about the size of a silver dollar and an inch thick (this is the mignonette).

Make a supreme sauce (same as white sauce, but with two cups of chicken stock instead of milk) and to it add diced ham and chicken and mushrooms. Broil mignonettes on one side. Place them, uncooked side down, on a well buttered tray, cover each mignonette with the supreme sauce and place in a hot oven.

Serve with calves gravy: calves bones boiled in water with chives, tarragon, thyme and parsley. After water is pink (about two hours), strain the broth and add a mixture of arrowroot flour and plain flour, a bit of tomato puree. Stir slowly until the gravy is thick and clear.

## Bread Sauce for Roast Chicken.

One cup milk, one clove, one small onion, two tablespoons breadcrumbs, butter, salt and pepper.

Boil milk, add clove and onion and breadcrumbs, cover for 15 minutes, then season to taste with butter, salt and pepper.

## Soufflé Glace au Café.

Eight yolks of eggs, eight ounces of sugar, one-fourth ounce whipped cream, coffee (liquid).

Before beginning, make a waxed paper collar for the soufflé dish to give it extra height. Cook the sugar with enough water to make a sirup. Pour one half of the sirup over the eggs and beat while pouring until mixture is creamy. Then add coffee, remainder of sirup and beat until the mixture sticks to the bowl of a metal spoon. Beat the whipped cream until stiff. Blend both mixtures together gently and pour into the soufflé dish. Place in refrigerator for about two and one-half hours.

Cassolette au Jambons in Individual Pastry Shells. One-fourth cup of finely chopped ham, one teaspoon chutney, cayenne pepper, two eggs, white sauce, pastry shells.

To a cup of white sauce, add the ham, chutney, cayenne peppers and the yolks. Bring mixture to a boil, stirring constantly. Beat the egg whites until very stiff and quickly blend into the mixture. Fill the pastry shells and bake in a very hot oven. Serve very hot.

Although Roussin emphasized that the savory is always served following the dessert because "that's the British custom," women might want to switch that particular dish around to the beginning of the meal or serve it as a hot appetizer.

## Tips for Teens

By Elinor Williams

MILLIONS of questions and doubts about dating sometimes bother boys. Right, fellows?

Queries like "How can you tell if a girl really likes you?" "Should you make a play for a good-night kiss even if your date says no?" "Are all girls gold-diggers?"

Just remember that girls are people, too... not so different from boys in "human nature." There are some girls who try to date only boys who always have folding money and are willing to spend it all on date-fun... just as there are boys who say, "It's just as easy to fall for a rich girl." But there are also girls who would rather stay at home with a boy they really like than go out in a convertible with one they don't like.

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YOU WANT YOUR DATE to look her prettiest for your Friday night doings. She, too, wants you to show enough interest in the date and enough respect for her to bathe, wear a clean shirt, tie and jacket... reserving blue jeans and a T-shirt for picnics, hay rides, etc.

You like a girl with shining hair, a clear complexion and clean finger nails. Girls notice these things, too; they don't like to hold a grimy hand (paw!).

You want your date to be agreeable and go along with your date plans pleasantly, helping to make, as well as enjoy, the fun. Well, girls do, too.

You boys prefer a girl who doesn't rave about other dates or flirt with other boys while she's with you. So remember that girls want ALL your attention during dates. No whistling at anybody else!

ELINOR WILLIAMS

Also girls who would rather stay at home with a boy they really like than go out in a convertible with one they don't like.

## 'Jesus and His Times'

## What Did Christ Look Like?

The 'Face of Jesus in the Flesh Is Unknown to Us'

By Daniel Rops

In this, the sixth installment from the book, "Jesus and His Times," the author discusses the question: What did Christ look like?

PERHAPS we should now try to draw a portrait of Jesus, whom, so far, we have tried to discover through the record of what he said and did.

There is such complete identity between the acts and the teaching of Jesus that his character rises before us in its uniqueness in every page of the Gospel. The uneducated men who set down these records have succeeded incomparably in the task which has tried the skill of all the great novelists; the character they describe lives.

The personality of Jesus is inescapable in the smallest fragment in which he appears, and when one considers how the Gospels were compiled, from a variety of reminiscences and traditions over scores of years, not only is the force and vitality of the character astounding but also its wholeness and consistency. The personality which could impose itself so unshakably on these various accounts must have been powerful indeed.

Yet, if we deliberately search the Gospels to build up a portrait of the character and temperament of Jesus, the result is curiously elusive. In the accounts of the lives of all men of genius and sanctity there is always something which eludes our grasp and rebuffs our analysis. That something is, precisely, the genius and the sanctity. In Jesus who was something more than a saint and a genius, the secret which eludes us is His divinity. For Jesus was divine and divinity confounds rationalization or psychological explanation.

How we long to know what He looked like. How we strive to find something about that personality which moves us so deeply which would give us His picture, as of a beloved familiar friend. We scrutinize the Gospels, but they do not help us much on this point.

From a certain passage in St. Luke where it is stated that the Jericho publican Zaccheus "sought to see Jesus but could not for the press," it has been concluded that it was Jesus who was "little of stature." This, however, is obviously a misreading; it was Zaccheus who was short since he had to climb



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up into a sycamore tree.

But it is just as misleading to conclude that Jesus was of handsome and majestic presence from the fact that Mary Magdalene picked him out immediately from the other guests at the dinner when she anointed him with the perfume, or from the incident where an unnamed woman lifted up her voice in the crowd to acclaim Him.

It goes without saying that there is no man-made portrait of Jesus which has the slightest degree of factual authenticity. Yet what a host of them there have been, throughout the centuries.

Little more credence can in truth be given to those accounts of the appearance of Jesus which have come down through the centuries with some pretense of historicity.

About the year 550, Antony of Piacenza made a pilgrimage to Jerusalem and reported that he had seen there a footprint left by Jesus, which he describes as "small, delicate and well-proportioned," and also a

different from that which nature intended.

But for those who are not so realistic and yet are confident of their dash to feel at ease wearing something so exotic and new... makeup is the answer. It is easy to learn how to make up the eyes so that the look will be just right when you wear the latest Oriental fashions.

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YOU CAN BRING THE FAR EAST TO YOUR EYES.

## Words, Wit And Wisdom

By William Morris

Hi, Neighbor!

"SO many people use the greeting 'Hi' for 'Hello,'" writes Mrs. V. F. Hargraves of Oakland, Calif. "Just how did this come into such common usage and is it considered a greeting of correct form?"

"Hi" seems to be an abbreviation of "Hail" which in turn is a corruption of "How are you?" While common enough as a casual, informal greeting, especially among young people, "Hi" would certainly not be considered correct for use in any formal situation.

Incidentally, the word "hello" itself is comparatively recent in general use, dating only from the invention of the telephone. For centuries the calls "halloo," "halloo" and "hollo" were commonly used by sailors and huntsmen to attract attention. It's likely that the term first came into English—as did so many other terms associated with hunting—at the time of the Norman Conquest. Originally "hollo" from the French "ho" and "la"—"Ho, there!"—the salutation gradually took other forms and, by the middle of the last century, was generally pronounced and written "halloo."

Then came the invention of the telephone and for the first few years people began each conversation with "Are you there?"—as many still do in England today. But Edison, impatient as always with waste of time or energy, decided this was too wordy and settled on "Hello" for his own telephone salutation. His example was widely imitated and, for the past 75 years, has been standard American practice.

## Secrets of Charm

## The Oriental Look

## They'll Do It Every Time

By Jimmy Hatlo

DOVETAIL, THE LABOR RELATIONS EXPERT, CAN STRAIGHTEN OUT ANY RUCKUS BETWEEN THE BOSS AND THE HELP...

BUT HOW DOES HE HANDLE A LITTLE ARGUMENT AT HOME AS TO WHAT KID GETS WHAT PROGRAM ON?



## Ripley's Believe It or Not



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SUNNYSIDE APPLE  
Submitted by FRANK MILLER, Editor, N.Y.  
THE CHATEAU DE MONT near Vincennes was demolished by KING CHARLES IX and ITS RUINS HAVE BEEN LEFT STANDING FOR 384 YEARS AS A REMINDER OF ITS OWNERS PUNISHMENT FOR AN ACT OF CRUELTY AGAINST A PROCESS SERVER.

## Designing Woman

## Double-Duty Furniture

By Elizabeth Hillyer

MANY a small bedroom can't take a desk or a dressing table if it stands by itself, but it might if there were some way to incorporate either of these into a more compact plan. Sketched is new furniture that solves the problem neatly—

from a new solid mahogany grouping in contemporary design. A top drawer of a double chest seems to be just that until its front drops down and turns out to be a writing surface, and stationary compartments are revealed. A separate unit, and the same one, is either a desk or a dressing table in the other two arrangements. It has legs on one side only. Brass straps hang the other side to the side of a drawer chest.

For a dressing table, this unit might arrange most conveniently between two chests, but for either a desk or a dressing table where there's only one chest, it can become the end piece. Top surfaces of both the desk in a chest and the separate unit are damage-resistant plastic, and are the sliding door fronts.



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# The New Films

By Myles Standish

## Ironie French Puzzle

THE VAGARIES of justice are examined with a detached irony and stimulating candor in a French film (with English subtitles of course) "JUSTICE IS DONE," which opens tonight at the SHADY OAK THEATER.

A woman doctor is on trial at the Versailles assizes on a charge of murdering her lover, head of a chemical works which she operated during his illness. She gave him an overdose of morphine, she testifies, in carrying out a promise made in response to a written plea two years before to quietly dispatch him when his suffering from cancer became too unbearable; and she did not do so until a physician friend pronounced the case hopeless on the basis of an X-ray plate.

But a simple case of euthanasia becomes complicated by suspicion of greed and passion. It develops the deceased left her his fortune of 35 million francs. She also admits, after an accusation by the dead man's sister, that she had an alternate lover during the last six months of the chemical manufacturer's life, one to whom she was passionately devoted. The second lover takes the stand and delivers an eloquent and moving plea in her behalf—that she was moved by pity and a sense of honor to carry out her promise when she could have easily escaped it by running off and leaving her benefactor to die naturally. The prosecution takes a cynical view of this, and a fascinating legal and moral puzzle results.

Meanwhile, the lives of the seven jurors hearing her case is being examined. It is brought out that the ultimate verdict of each of them (a simple majority is required for a conviction) is determined by his own philosophy, his religious beliefs, and his experience in life, in spite of all rules of evidence and judge's instructions. This has been done before notably in a Tiffany Thayer novel which, I believe, was called "Thirteen Men," but here it is developed with extraordinary skill and clarity and sharp character vignettes.

The jurors are: a flinty farmer who suspects his wife of misbehaving with an indolent Italian farmhand; a retired Army colonel, a strait-laced martinet who sees the moral decay of France in everything about him, including the romance of his daughter with a brash young punk; an elegant fortune-hunter who is trying to shake off a hysterical former mistress; a printer, whose home life is being made unbearable by a hopelessly psychotic horror of a son and who has been himself tempted to do away with the boy, but whose Catholicism cannot condone the taking of a human life "for any reason"; a rich middle-aged woman shop-owner who has been flirting with a handsome young man at her hotel, only to learn he is the defendant's alternate lover and has been trying to influence her vote; a chirpy young waiter, sentimental because he is about to be married; a plumbing supply dealer who is in love with the woman shop-owner and inadvertently influenced by her.

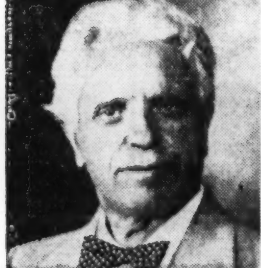
Claude Nollier is wrong with a mute agony and a defiant sort of frankness as the defendant, Michel Auclair as her alternate lover is intense and sensitive. But this is necessarily a job of ensemble acting, with almost all the roles limned with great skill. Some of the testimony seems strange in view of American procedure, with witnesses allowed to make conjectures, deliver prejudicial opinions and irrelevant statements with abandon, but both Director Andre Cayatte and Charles Spaak, who wrote the script with M. Cayatte, are former lawyers, so I suppose we'll have to trust their accuracy.

The picture won the Venice Film Festival grand prize in 1950.

## The Friendless

By Angelo Patri

WHAT is to be done about a young woman, aged 18, who has no friends? That question has come to me several times lately. Nobody can do anything about that but the person most concerned, the friendless young woman.



Why is she friendless? If she knew how to get along with other people she couldn't help having friends. The only conclusion anyone can come to is that she has not earned friends.

Friends have to be earned. Earning them means putting their feelings and their needs before one's own. That is not too hard when one thinks of how shorts a time one is with others. A few hours of companionship, with mutual consideration for each other's happiness, should not be hardship. It really is a joy.

WHEN A YOUNG PERSON, man or woman, is friendless there is a reason, and a grave one. Either he is mentally unfit or he is too selfish to give part of himself, part of his time, his thought, to others. Life is short and people cannot waste any of it in trying to get along with them.

The parents of friendless children suffer for them. They long to make friends for them. One such mother decided that a party would be just the thing and accordingly prepared one, inviting a group of her daughter's schoolmates. Nobody accepted the invitation. The girl broke down in a flood of tears and her mother could not comfort her.

How could anyone comfort a girl who had that very day insulted the leader of the group and offended two others by shouting them down when they ventured to differ with her on a matter of rules in the game they were playing?

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THERE WAS A HANDSOME BOY, an only child, who had no friend in all the school. The reason? He would rush to the head of a waiting line and shove others away. He refused to accept defeat in any game, loudly protesting it was unfair, he wouldn't give in. By and by, nobody would let him in so he stood on the sidelines shouting insults. When the teacher tried to get him to see he was at fault, he said, "Who wants to get along with them? My father can buy and sell them anytime."

Nobody is perfect. We must make allowances for each other's differences, like their best ways, and give up some of our pet habits to make room for others' occasionally. We must be friendly to win friends.

## Try and Stop Me

By Bennett Cerf

DEMONSTRATING a new oil pipe at key meetings in the South is Keen Johnson, former governor of Kentucky.

At one gathering, Johnson recalled to Jim Clark a day when he was still governor. A mountaineer had been convicted of a feud killing—on circumstantial evidence—and sentenced to die. Petitions and pleas from interested parties had failed to impress the authorities, but a note, scrawled in pencil on a piece of old scratch paper, from the prisoner himself won him a commutation to life imprisonment.

"Dear Guvnor," it read. "I is skeduled to be executed on Friday and hear it is wensday. Yores trooly, Joe D."

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A RESOURCEFUL CHAP, charged with driving his jalopy into the side of a barn, explained blithely, "Your blower, that barn didn't have its light on!"

# They Make Their Music With Bells

Group Formed by Mrs. R. J. Marlow Is One of Few Bell Ringing Organizations in U.S.

By Mary Kimbrough

HOW you read the following will indicate whether you're a mathematician or a musician:

5-3 6-4 5-3 3-1

It's no problem in fractions. It's the first bar of "Silent Night," as seen by a bellringer. Mrs. R. J. Marlow, director of what is believed to be the only bellringing group in Missouri—and one of the few in the country—writes out the music for her six-member team, evolving her own system of numbers because little music for this ancient art has been published. The bellringers stand in line, side by side, and each has her own number, 1 through 6. As her number comes up on the score, she rings a bell.

The fractions are Mrs. Marlow's way of indicating that 5 and 3 should play the first chord of "Silent Night" together, with 6 and 4 following on the second note. In a simpler melody without chords, such as "The Bells of St. Mary's," the music reads: 5-1-1-2-3-3-5-6-6-7-8-8.

The centuries-old art is being revived in this country, although Mrs. Marlow understands she is one of only 73 persons in the United States owning a set of bells of this type, and her group was one of only six participating this summer in the national festival of bellringers at Ipswich, Mass.

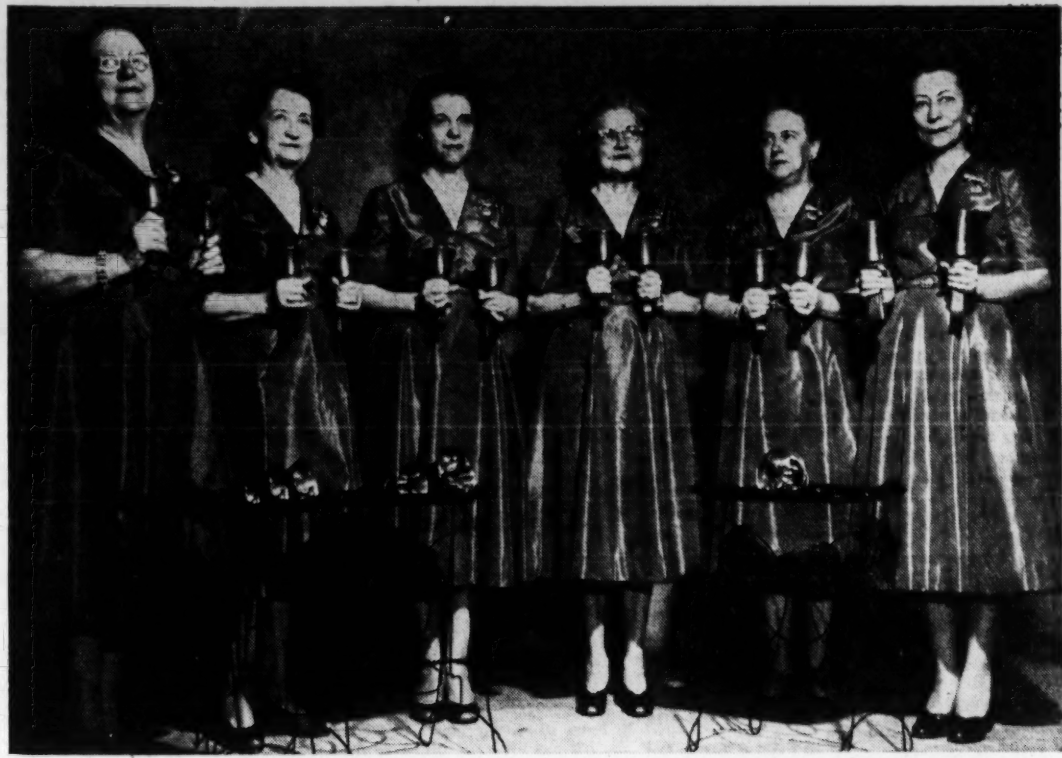
Her group, known as the Blue Bells, was organized less than three years ago, and so popular have its programs become that the members have filled 214 engagements in that time. Because bells and Christmas naturally go together, and carols are prominent in their repertoire, they are called upon to play more in December than any other month.

The Blue Bells are all homemakers, and most are grandmothers. They are not professional musicians, although Mrs. Marlow plays the piano and directs children's choirs, and all are members of Sweet Adelines, feminine counterpart of the Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barber Shop Quartet Singing in America. Their common bond is simply a love of music.

But as much as they enjoy entertaining others, the bellringers have found that their career isn't an easy one. It takes time to learn bellringing, and mastery of the art requires concentration, muscle, an ear for rhythm and—Mrs. Marlow says this is almost more important than the others—"a willing husband."

"I couldn't have done it if my husband and our two sons hadn't encouraged me every step of the way," she said. "And they don't even object to hearing bells around the house all the time. Only the parakeet makes a fuss."

In fact, she can credit her family with helping interest her in bellringing. Before moving to Webster Groves in 1951, where the family occupies a home at 474 Catalina avenue, she and her husband and sons,



BELLRINGERS WHO MAKE UP THE BLUE BELLS ARE, FROM LEFT, MRS. WINNIE MOSBY, MRS. CHARLES KNEBEL, MRS. R. J. MARLOW, THE DIRECTOR; MRS. JOHN EHRLHARDT, MRS. OTTO BALSER AND MRS. CHARLES RAFFELS.

Jim and Dan, lived in Needham, Mass. One Christmas Eve they went together to the traditional carol sing in Boston and there heard a group of bellringers directed by Mrs. A. A. Shurcliff, conceded to be the dead of bellringers in this country. The following Christmas, her son was watching television when Mrs. Shurcliff and her bellringers came on.

"HE CALLED me to come look at them—and from that moment on I had bells in my belfry," she said. "I wrote Mrs. Shurcliff and asked where to buy the bells. She told me to order them from Whitechapel in England, the same firm that made the Liberty Bell, so I blithely sent in my request, thinking the order would arrive in a few weeks."

"It took me exactly nine months to get them. They had to be made especially and the tuning itself is such a tedious process that it can't be hurried. But as soon as those first 13 bells arrived, I called some of my friends and we organized the group. I have since augmented the original order, and have 25 bells in all."

With that number, ranging from the G below Middle C to the G above High C, the group can play practically any composition, since the bell tones are based on the standard musical scale.

The bells must be held and swung in a certain position or the clapper, anchored by pieces of strong felt, will not strike the metal. The felt also serves as a governor to prevent the clapper from vibrating repeat-

edly once the note has been sounded.

Made of three-fourths copper and one-fourth tin, and delicately hewn for exact pitch, the bells vary in size, with the large ones giving out deeper tones and the small ones sounding the higher notes of the scale. The effect, as they are swung in precise sequence, is that of church bells ringing in a steeple.

Mrs. Marlow's collection cost \$300, with the original investment financed by her other hobby, Pennsylvania Dutch pottery, which she makes in the basement of her home. Her group of bellringers charges no fees but accepts contributions which go into a general expense fund. Last August, their savings took them to Ipswich, Mass., where they were first on the festival program and ended it by ringing a special grace before the farewell dinner.

They also rang for Mrs. Marlow's former church in Needham, collecting nearly \$80 for the purchase of church bells.

"Bells have always had a deep significance," she said. "Long ago, of course, they were used for communication, and even today, the bell of the telephone or the bell on the front door are important in our lives. They have long been associated with churches and worship."

The art of bellringing is well-known in England, where change-ringing has been popular for several centuries. In change-ringing, a group of people ring bells by swinging them in full circle in various combinations. One man, I learned, figured out 40,000 different

combinations of tones with a set of seven bells."

So far the Blue Bells have tried a fairly simple repertoire but they have memorized 29 songs, including carols and such favorites as "Battle Hymn of the Republic" and "Sweet Hour of Prayer." They rehearse at Mrs. Marlow's home every Wednesday.

"We started out with five in the group, but have added one so that if anyone is ill, we will always have a nucleus of five," Mrs. Marlow said. "I learn all the parts so that I can take the place of anyone who is absent."

Much of the music is in the middle register and can be played by four, with the fifth and sixth players adding notes for harmony. Out of six, they can be fairly certain that there will always be four or five members present.

But they haven't missed a performance yet. Not even the birth of a grandchild makes them pass up rehearsals or programs. Their greater fear, in fact, is that one of the bells will crack just as the Liberty Bell did.

The members, who among

them have 13 children and 29 grandchildren, are, in addition to Mrs. Marlow, Mrs. Charles Raffels, Mrs. Otto Balser, Mrs. John Ehrhardt, Mrs. Charles Knebel and Mrs. Winnie Mosby.

Their long-standing friendship reflects as much harmony as the bells and about the only thing they argue about is whether the color of their new costumes will flatter them all.

MRS. MARLOW acts as the booking agent and handles the calendar. Their appearances have been in schools, churches, libraries, old people's homes and children's institutions.

"We're particularly happy to play for the older people and the children," said Mrs. Marlow. "I remember especially one performance we gave in the Children's Hospital, going from one ward to another. It was St. Patrick's Day, we were dressed in green and prepared to give out with every Irish air in the book."

"You know what the children all asked for?"

"Rudolph, the Red-Nosed Reindeer."

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## Contract Bridge

By Ely Culbertson

THE worst thing that can be done to a certain type of player is to deal him a very good hand with a pretty good six-card suit, and the injury is apt to be increased if he has a part-score. Impressed with his general strength, and overconfident about his long suit, he is apt to keep on bidding that suit to the exclusion of any other investigation.

Consider South's behavior below. It was certainly bad—but, alas, not greatly different from the behavior of thousands of other players.

South, dealer.  
North-South vulnerable and 60 on score.

♠J86532					
♥107432					
♦6					
♣8					
NORTH					
♠K10	♥Q5	♦KJ104	♣AK1072	♠04	♥J98
				♦72	♣QJ9643
SOUTH					
♠AQ7	♥AK6	♦AQ853	♣5		

The bidding:  
South West North East  
1♠ 2♣ Pass 3♠  
3♦ 4♠ Pass 3♠  
4♦ Dble. Pass Pass

West led the club king, saw the singleton in dummy, and shifted to the queen of hearts. South won, and he managed to avoid the loss of any heart tricks by establishing the spades, but he still had to pay a 500-point penalty.

This outcome was in striking contrast with the four spades or four hearts that North-South could have made so easily. In the postmortem South said that he had wanted to be doubled at three or four diamonds—but it is rather obvious that this was not a sound wish.

The fact is, of course, that South squandered an excellent hand. He should have rebid his diamond suit even once; to do so was to ignore and waste an outstanding opportunity. His right action, obviously, was to double three clubs. This would be a takeout double—North not yet having spoken—and a contract would strongly invite a response in a long major suit, if North had one. Surely, the pattern and strength of South's hand made such an invitation logical; and North, with his distribution, would have found it easy and pleasant to co-operate. As it was, North couldn't dream of entering the arena.

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## Fix It Yourself

By Hubbard Cobb

**Sagging Floors.** WHEN a house is built the general idea of whoever does the building is to make the floors good and solid. They usually start off that way but after a period of years things begin to happen. All sorts of things can happen but usually the trouble is with the girder.

Now the girder is that large beam that runs across the floor joists in the basement to give them additional support. It usually rests at each end on the foundation walls and it usually looks as solid as can be. Trouble is that often it is not as solid as it appears.

After a period of years, the house foundations may have settled a little so that the girder has dropped a fraction of an inch. This means that it is no longer supporting the joists and so they begin to sag or the floor feels weak and bouncy.

Sometimes the end of the girder that are in contact with the foundation wall have started to rot and, while the girder still remains solid, it has dropped where the decay has softened the wood.

Now the nice thing about all this is that usually things can be fixed up without having to buy a new girder or do a lot of



heavy repair work. Often all you have to do to pull up a girder that has dropped a little is to insert some wood wedges between it and the foundation wall and drive them in.

As they are driven in they'll raise the end of the girder that fraction of an inch necessary for it to once again support the joists. Sometimes, when this can't be done, you can drive the wedges between the girder and the joists and this will produce the same effect.

In some cases, of course, the girder is just not heavy enough to give the support to the floor that is necessary and the remedy here is to install a post at about the middle of the girder to help it out.

Simmer the bones from the left-over turkey with onion to make a tasty broth.

## FROM NINE TO FIVE

By Jo Fischer



"I FIGURED-OUT WHY I'M ALWAYS BROKE, POTSY. BEFORE PAY DAYS I HAVE NO MONEY... AND AFTER PAY DAYS IT'S ALREADY SPENT."

## An Important Step Toward Marriage

By Dr. Paul Popenoe

JUST meeting men, even a great many of them, is not the most important way to marriage for the woman who desires it. It is far more important for her to know how to behave when she meets even one man.

The fact that the woman's personality and understanding are decisive has just been brought to my attention forcibly by a study of one of our counseling groups at the American Institute of Family Relations in Los Angeles, of which I am Director.

THIS GROUP was made up of 10 women, almost all of them well over 30 years of age. They wanted to marry. They met once a week with one of our counselors, but to a large extent they counseled each other. We did not introduce them to any men or tell them where to meet men. We simply helped them to know what they were doing. The result, after 18 months, is that nine out of the 10 are married or engaged.

What did they learn? Almost everything, and no two of them needed to learn the same things. But to a large extent they learned to behave like women. Psychologist Fritz Kunkel has studied the case simply: "A living feminine attitude is a woman's only basis for success in relationships with men."

THAT MEANS among other things, that the woman practices being receptive and responsive rather than aggressive. She has to understand this very properly. As Dr. Kunkel warns, "If her receptivity closes the door, psychologically speaking, accepts no new ideas, remaining merely passive, it becomes a dead thing. It does not serve the purposes of life any more than does blind and chaotic aggression."

We live in an era in which true femininity has been despised and therefore repressed. Dr. Kunkel asserts. Unfortunately, schools and colleges have frequently done nothing to help a girl develop her real femininity. They have hindered her instead. She will have to begin to think for herself.

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# By and about Women

## Social Activities

### Miss Werner Engaged To Richard G. Evans

By Kay Moon

THE ENGAGEMENT of Miss Barbara Werner to Richard Gale Evans Jr. of Cincinnati has been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norvell Werner, who divide their time between Sarasota, Fla., and Glendale, O. The bride-to-be, whose father is a former St. Louisan, descends from several well-known St. Louis families. Her great-grandparents were the late Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Matthews and her grandparents were the late Mr. and Mrs. Percy Werner. She is the niece of Dr. Courtney Werner, associate professor of geology at Washington University; Mrs. Trifon von Schrenk, Matt Werner and Mrs. James R. Murray, all of St. Louis.

A graduate of Sarasota High School, 1952, Miss Werner is now a senior at Denison University, Granville, O. She is president of Mortar Board and of Eta Chapter of her sorority, Pi Beta Phi.

Mr. Evans is a graduate of Walnut Hill High School in Cincinnati and, last June, of Kenyon College, Gambier, O., where he became a member of Delta Tau Delta fraternity. Commissioned a second lieutenant in the Air Force at commencement, he will report for active duty Jan. 6. Meanwhile, he is associated with a paper company in Cincinnati where his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gale Evans, make their home.

The wedding will take place next summer in Glendale.

### Miss Brown Plans Feb. 18 Wedding.

MISS JANE HAMILTON BROWN and Robert Don Stanza have selected Saturday, Feb. 18, as the date of their marriage. The ceremony will take place at 8 o'clock that night at Westminster Presbyterian Church, the Rev. Dr. H. Louis Patrick officiating. Afterward the parents of the bride-elect, Dr. and Mrs. James Barrett Brown, will give the reception at their home, 40 Kingsbury place.

Miss Frances Reith Brown, one of this season's debutantes, will serve as maid of honor for her sister. Their cousin, Miss Cynthia Anne Dietsch; Miss Marian Croxton Green and Miss Elizabeth Ann McDonald are to be bridesmaids. Attendants will be announced later for Mr. Stanza, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl G. Stanza, 7201 Greenway drive, University City.

Next Friday the bride-to-be will be honored at a luncheon and miscellaneous shower to be given by Miss Josephine White at the home of her stepfather, Charles J. Bainum, 6304 Westminster place, University City.

### Tea for Red Cross Chairman.

A PRE-HOLIDAY TEA with a Christmas motif will be given tomorrow afternoon by Mrs. Arthur H. Wallace at her home, 25 Burroughs lane, Ladue. In honor of Mrs. A. A. Fangman, who is resigning as chairman of the Kirkwood Red Cross Unit, a post she has held since the unit was organized in the spring of 1952. Mrs. Fangman will remain active as a Red Cross volunteer, but her chairmanship will be assumed by Mrs. Dan S. Hapke, 702 Edgewood place, Kirkwood.

Mrs. Wallace, who is chairman of Volunteer Service Groups, St. Louis Chapter of the Red Cross, has issued invitations to the following chairmen and vice chairmen of seven volunteer service and special committees who have been closely associated with Mrs. Fangman for several years: Mrs. G. Chadbourne Taylor, Mrs. M. A. Bush, Mrs. Robert Brooke, Mrs. Isaac Orr, Mrs. C. L. Barber, Mrs. W. A. Palm, Miss Theodora Schluter, Mrs. Hapke, Mrs. Max Jackson, Mrs. F. F. Weishaar, Mrs. Ray Dilschneider, Mrs. Harry Kelly, Mrs. William Perry, Mrs. Maxwell Summers, Miss Gloria Oberstein, Mrs. Clifford Corneli, Mrs. Murel Rodgers, Mrs. Gus F. Reid, Mrs. Dewey Shea, Mrs. G. R. Graves, Mrs. Alfred Borbein, Mrs. John Ring Jr., Mrs. Chelsea Inman, Mrs. Charles H. Duncker, Mrs. Ida W. Gardner, Mrs. Charles E. Ehrhardt, Mrs. S. Charles Baer and Mrs. J. V. Fort.

### Parties in Honor of the Season's Debutantes.

MRS. PAUL ANDERSON JOHNSON (Dorothy Ladd Woods) will arrive here today from her home in Honolulu to spend the Christmas season at her St. Louis house at 2103 South Warsaw road, Ladue. With Mrs. Johnson will be her son, Richard Randolph Woods, and Mr. Johnson's daughter, Miss Molly Johnson. Mr. Johnson will arrive next week. His son, Robert, came to St. Louis Wednesday, on vacation from Lawrenceville (N.J.) School.

Next Friday the Johnsons will be host and hostess at a dinner at the Warsaw road address in honor of his niece, Miss Jane Cochran, Miss Louise Conant and Miss Almira Baldwin. The party will precede the debut ball for Miss Audrey Faust Wallace, the Veiled Prophet Queen.

Earlier that day Mrs. Con P. Curran Jr. and Mrs. Maurice J. Lonsway will give a luncheon for their great-niece, Miss Margaret Averill, and for Miss Lucy Reuter. They will entertain a group of debutantes at Old Warsaw Country Club.

Thursday Mrs. Walter R. Mayne and Mrs. John H. Cunningham Jr. have planned a luncheon for Miss Mariella Coe and Miss Sarah Lund to take place at the University Club, while on Wednesday Mrs. Arthur W. Taylor will be hostess at a similar party at the Junior League tearoom for Miss Elizabeth Holmes and Miss Mareth Sandrock.

Visitors from Memphis Expected Next Week. T. AND MRS. W. G. MOESSMER of Memphis, Tenn., and their four children, Marcy Lynn, Christy Mead, Nancy Jane and Robert Scott, will arrive in St. Louis Wednesday to be guests for the Christmas season of Lt. Moessmer's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Steuber, 706 Fieldcrest drive, Crestwood.

Lt. Moessmer, who is liaison officer for the Naval Air Station at Memphis, is the son of Mrs. O. S. Moessmer, 607 Forest court, Clayton, and Mr. Moessmer, who lives at the Missouri Athletic Club. The Steubers and Mrs. O. S. Moessmer will entertain 50 friends of Lt. and Mrs. Moessmer at a cocktail party to be given Friday evening, Dec. 23.

Miss Mona Spearing, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Spearing, 6234 Pershing avenue, University City, will return to St. Louis next Wednesday for the Christmas vacation. A former student at Maryville College, she now attends the American Academy of Dramatic Art in New York. Her house guest for the holidays will be Miss Kathryn Robinson of Memphis, Tenn.

## To Become Bride



MISS BARBARA WERNER... FIANCEE OF RICHARD GALE EVANS JR.

## Christmas Week Parties for College Girls

FOLLOWING the custom of former years, many sororities and fraternities will give parties during Christmas week for members of college chapters who are home for the holidays. The first announcement comes from Kappa Alpha Theta alumnae, who will give a "Christmas Coffee" at the home of Mrs. Edward W. Fordyce, 15 Lenox place, from 10 to 12 o'clock Thursday morning, Dec. 29. At this party the alumnae will present to their members pledges from various chapters. In the group are 41 girls who pledged Kappa Alpha Theta at 14 different colleges.

Alpha Phi will give a mothers' and daughters' Christmas tea at the home of Mrs. Elliott Miller, 405 West Swann avenue, Webster Groves. Guests will be from colleges in the Middle West, with the majority from chapters at Drury College and the University of Missouri. The party will be from 3 to 5 o'clock Thursday afternoon, Dec. 29. Alumnae who will serve on the hostess committee are Mrs. Chase Feldman, Mrs. Lawrence Edwards, Mrs. Henry Griesedieck Jr., Mrs. Joseph Hammond, alumnae president, Mrs. Donald Hill and Miss Hazel Ludwig.

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## My Day

### New Bridge With a View Over Hudson

By Eleanor Roosevelt

NEW YORK.

I HAD the great pleasure of driving across the new Tappan Zee bridge that crosses the Hudson river from Nyack to Tarrytown and is a link in the Thruway to Buffalo.

I had never been on the Thruway before and we drove a short distance on it. It is certainly a mode of rapid transportation and very cleverly engineered to try to do away with some of the difficulties that straight parkways create. An effort has been made to overcome these with carefully engineered curves and rises.

One can go so steadily on many straight highways that some people find it hard to keep awake. Some drivers advise that if you are alone to turn the radio on really loud. The engineers of the Thruway told me, however, they had thought of this and tried, by creating different levels and widening the middle part of the road in different places, to make enough variety to break the monotony.

They still say, however, it is wise to stop about once an hour and walk around your car or stop to get a cup of coffee.

THE BRIDGE ITSELF across the Hudson is quite low for part of the way where the river is shallow, and as it follows the contour of the land it curves. This makes it very attractive. It is high enough where it rises for an ocean-going steamer to pass underneath it.

The construction of this bridge presented some very serious difficulties. To reach the rock in some places the engineers had to go down the river bed, to the level of the river bed, and they used a clever device of floating concrete in other places to carry some of the weight of the steel.

ON THE WHOLE it is a very remarkable engineering feat, and as it crosses at the Tappan Zee, which is one of the most beautiful places in the Hudson river, a special effort was made to design a railing to permit a view in both directions. I have always found it tantalizing to cross a bridge and not be able to see over the parapet, so I was particularly glad to notice this innovation.

At one point from the bridge you can look down the river and see the New York City skyline, and on a clear day you can see the outline of the George Washington bridge.

## Women's Clubs

### On Awards Committees

By Fay Profilet

TWO members of the Women's Advertising Club of St. Louis have received appointments in connection with the Advertising Woman of the Year award, sponsored by the American Federation of Advertising. Miss Bonnie Dewes is general national chairman of the 1956 award committee for the federation and Miss Edna Carroll is local chairman of the St. Louis Advertising Woman of the Year award.

Miss Dewes is a past president of the Women's Advertising Club and is a member of the American Women in Radio and Television. Miss Carroll has served as a press chairman of the club and on several committees. Both have taken important parts in the club's annual gridiron show.

The St. Louis Advertising Woman of the Year will be selected by members of the Men's and Women's Advertising Clubs. Her name will then be submitted to represent the St. Louis Women's Advertising Club in national competition. Members of Miss Carroll's committee are Miss Beatrice Adams, Miss Muriel Braetigam, Mrs. Elmer C. McCaddon and Miss Martha Olson.

The national award, established by the Council on Advertising Women's Clubs of the Advertising Federation of America, will be presented at the federation's convention in Philadelphia next June.

Candidates' professional qualifications will be considered along with the practices and policies she has introduced to the advertising profession to help further its growth and stature. The judges, who will also consider how well she is known in the advertising profession, will be Leo Burnett, president, Leo Burnett Company, Chicago; Clarence E. Eldridge, executive vice president, Campbell Soup Company, Camden, N.J., and Herman Sturm, director of advertising, National Business Magazine, New York.

Last June Miss Joan Gardner, of St. Louis, publicity and promotion director, St. Louis Fashion Creators, received the national Advertising Woman of the Year award, after having been selected by the St. Louis club as St. Louis Advertising Woman of the Year. Mrs. Henrietta Baker is president of the local club.



EARLY NOMINATIONS FOR ST. LOUIS ADVERTISING WOMAN OF THE YEAR ARE REVIEWED BY MISS BONNIE DEWES, LEFT, AND MISS EDNA CARROLL.

### 'Spirit of Giving.'

MISS SUSAN BARNES, director of the Rehabilitation Center of Greater St. Louis, will be guest speaker at the annual Christmas party of Marguerite Krueger Conservation Club next Thursday at noon at Hotel Kingsway. To illustrate her subject "The Spirit of Giving," Miss Barnes will show slides of the activities of the different departments of the center.

The club will present gifts to 30 adult and 25 children shut-ins. The Maplewood Junior High School Girls' Glee Club, directed by David G. Halane, will sing carols. Mrs. William A. Wagner Jr. will preside at the business session. Mrs. Ray R. Henley has arranged the program.

gram and Mrs. Charles T. Marcrander, hospitality chairman, will be assisted by Mrs. Loren T. Brockman, Mrs. F. Leslie Collins and Mrs. Leslie H. Martin.

"Making Christmas Candles" will be the title for a program to be given by the Baden Woman's Club, Monday at 1 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Victor Vohsen, 1515 Veronica avenue.

The Jewish Children's Home Auxiliary will meet Tuesday at 1 p.m. at Tpheris Israel Congregation auditorium, 6912 Delmar boulevard. Mrs. Dorothy Hudson, nutrition expert, will speak on "Foods, Fads and Fallacies." A general discussion will follow her talk.

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# Martha Carr's

REG. U.S. PAT. OFF. **OPINION**

Today's column is devoted to teen-agers who are invited to submit their problems to Martha Carr.

Dear Martha:  
I AM a sophomore in high school. During the summer I met a real nice boy. We dated quite often and had a lot of fun together. I know that he liked me and I liked him. He was always kind, considerate and courteous to me.



In other words, he was terrific! At the beginning of school we still dated each other so it seemed like more than just a summer romance. Then something I said hurt his feelings. I didn't realize until after I had said it how much I had hurt his feelings and that I didn't mean what I said. I apologized and told him how sorry I was. He said he forgave me and we went out once more. I thought everything was fine after that but he stopped calling me or speaking to me in the hall. He is now the most talked-about boy in school and goes with a different crowd. Every once in a while he gives me the impression that he still might like me a little. How can I get him to notice me again and show him that I still like him without being too obvious?

JACKIE.

I honestly don't know what more you could do than apologize, but it may be that the argument had little to do with the break-up. It's natural for teen-agers to like one person awhile, then like someone else. You will like many-boys, I'm sure, and think you're in love with a few, before you finally decide that you want to marry one particular beau. But it's a rare romance that ends with neither person being hurt and it is just unfortunate that you are the one to be toting the torch this time. Maybe the next time you'll grow tired first and the boy will be hurt. If he isn't going steady, I see no reason not to invite him—just once, though—to a party at your home or maybe to a club affair where the girls ask the boys. If he doesn't accept, or if he does, and doesn't pay back with another invitation, I'm afraid you'll have to accept the fact that he has gone the way of all ex-boy friends and hope to find one you like even better.

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Dear Martha:  
I LIKED A BOY who I thought liked me. He said he did anyway. Now, all of a sudden, he says he likes another girl. He didn't give me any warning whatsoever what was coming. Now he treats me like anyone else when this girl is around, but when she isn't he treats me just as before. I am trying to forget him, but when he starts treating me as before, I don't know what to do. I can't avoid him as I see him every day at school. Please help me.

C.A.L.

The best advice I can give you is to refuse to let him see how hurt you are. Pride comes in mighty handy at a time like this. Remember, though, that your heart may change as quickly as his did so try not to let yourself brood about him when he looks the other way. Be pleasant to him—but in the meantime decide that you can like other boys too and he isn't the only fish in the sea. Just be careful not to take him so seriously the next time because he apparently doesn't know his own mind or heart.

Send today for Martha Carr's free leaflet, written especially for teen-agers, "E for Etiquette." Be sure to inclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope with your request.

## The Dual Career

By Ruth Millett

WOMEN have forcibly proved that they CAN combine marriage and a career. The question now is: SHOULD they?

Before we can answer that we will have to know how much of the climbing divorce rate, the shocking stories of juvenile delinquency and the dissatisfaction of so many women is due to the great numbers who are trying to be wife, mother, homemaker and wage earner.

Until the answers are all in, the girl who is training her mind for a career while holding on to the feminine right to marriage and a family ought to know a little bit about what the score is.

Before she decides that she can handle the double role easily, she ought to know that it isn't really as easy as it sounds.

FIRST OF ALL, she must have the actual physical stamina to be able to do two jobs well. Then she has to be sure that the man she chooses for a husband will be willing to put up with a part-time housewife and not resent the demands of her job.

Then she must realize that once she and her husband establish a two-income standard of living, it will be difficult to get by on one pay check should she ever want to quit her job.

She has to face the fact, too, that there will be times when one job or the other has to suffer. Children are no more considerate of the time they have measles than a boss is of picking a time when an extra job has to be done.

These are the problems career wives don't mention when they take their vows.

They are real problems, nonetheless, and the girl ought to face them at the beginning.

They can help her answer the important question: Should I try to combine marriage and a job?

The women who have proved they could haven't always proved they should.

## Beauty After 40

By Edyth Thornton McLeod

"MY SKIN is very pale and my hair is silvery-white. Would you suggest that I color my hair to add more character to my face?"—48."

I say that silvery-white hair is so beautiful that I would leave it as it is. You should deepen your makeup to give more depth and warmth to your skin tones. A warm rose rachel face powder and rose red rouge and lipstick will harmonize effectively.

"As the mother of the bride should I wear a formal dress for which I will have no further use? It's a five o'clock church wedding with the reception at home—H.W."

You do not have to wear a formal dress for a five o'clock wedding. A dressy afternoon costume of taffeta, crepe, or velvet would be correct and smart. Wear a little velvet hat, pastel gloves, and I hope that you have a very pretty corsage.

## Lanza Finishes New Movie

Most Friends, Enemies Didn't Think He'd Do It

By Emily Belser

HOLLYWOOD (INS).

BEARDED, be-costumed Mario Lanza this week completed his first film in three years.

All of his enemies and some of his pals predicted he'd never finish "Serenade" because of his "temperament." But the 210-pound tenor, garbed in a glittering \$2000 costume, breezed through his last hour on the Warner Brothers' lot singing arias from "Othello" with opera star Licia Albanese.

As co-workers congratulated him on the completion of his "comeback" movie, Lanza shrugged and said:

"Of course I finished it. I never had any idea of not finishing it. I've never walked out on any film. And that goes for that unmentionable thing at M-G-M. ('The Student Prince')."

"I wasn't supposed to do that movie in the first place. Everybody knows I wasn't even under contract there at the time."

Lanza completed the score for that film, but Edmund Purdom replaced him as the star.

Far from being "through" as some people predicted, Lanza will undoubtedly be right back on top of the heap with the Easter release of his new film. And he's raring to go.

"I don't need any rest," he insisted. "I want to go right into something else. I feel great and I've still got the best voice in the world."

As the last bars of "Othello" died away Lanza swung off the huge raised stage, whipped out of sight for a moment and came back carrying a sapphire mink stole which he draped around the shoulders of his wife, Betty.

Further indication that the 34-year-old singer is again in the money is his new home in swanky Bel-Air, laden with expensive furniture and priceless decor.

"Everything's fine," the tenor said. "All I want to do now is decide on another script."

Lanza presents a far different picture today than he did last April when, suffering from nerves and stage fright, he walked out on a \$100,000 night club engagement in Las Vegas.



MARIO LANZA. "I WANT TO GO RIGHT INTO SOMETHING ELSE. I FEEL GREAT AND I'VE GOT THE BEST VOICE IN THE WORLD."

Even then, he was under contract to do "Serenade," the story of an unhappy opera singer who deserts the United States to live in Mexico.

At the time, friends wondered, "will he act out the plot, or live it?"

Mario's answer will be displayed at New York's music hall theater beginning April 1.

Shrimp-Cheese

Ingredients: 1½ cups (8 ounces) cooked and peeled and deveined shrimp, 1 package (6 ounces) pasteurized process Swiss cheese food, ¼ cup mayonnaise, juice of ½ lemon (3 to 4 teaspoons), ½ teaspoon paprika, ½ teaspoon onion powder, 1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce.

Method: Put shrimp and cheese through fine blade of food chopper. Mix with mayonnaise, lemon juice, paprika, onion powder and Worcestershire sauce. (Makes about 2 cups.) Spread mixture over slices of bread, covering edges well. Broil until hot and lightly browned. Cut in triangular halves and serve at once.

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## Getting Rid Of Those Clutter-Ups.

By Josephine Lowman

WITHOUT planning to do so the average woman allows multitudinous petty obligations, contacts and activities to clutter up her life. These attach themselves to her in weak moments and then cling for dear life.

Most women do not realize that this has happened to them and wonder why they have no time for all those things they have wanted to do for so long. They take the clutter for granted as though there is no such thing as individual choice. It takes a lot of nerve and a lot of determination to clear your life of time-and-energy-demanding activities which leave you frustrated rather than vibrant. What inspires and enriches the life of one woman may not do the same for another.

This is an individual matter but you only have so much energy. It seems a shame to waste it in activities you have simply been caught up in, willy nilly, without any real intent or choice. Sweep away the clutter of needless activities.

I have the greatest respect for energy because it is the coin with which we pay our way through life, with which we buy our happiness and success, with which we serve. It is the essence of life. Guard it carefully but spend it and give it gladly where the giving and spending have meaning for you.

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Method: Put shrimp and cheese through fine blade of food chopper. Mix with mayonnaise, lemon juice, paprika, onion powder and Worcestershire sauce. (Makes about 2 cups.) Spread mixture over slices of bread, covering edges well. Broil until hot and lightly browned. Cut in triangular halves and serve at once.

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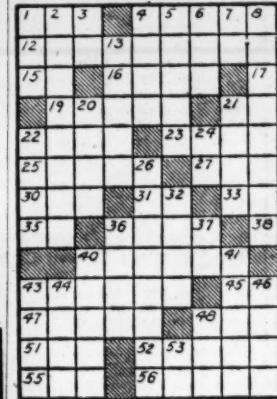
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4. Arctic  
9. Water resort  
12. Foment  
14. Ballad  
15. That thing  
16. Flock  
17. Coast  
19. Dwelling  
21. Day's marches  
22. Jumbles  
23. Endeavored  
25. Change  
27. Pulled apart  
28. Musical note  
30. Affirmative  
31. Past tense ending  
33. Compass point

**DOWN**  
2. Made necessary  
3. Plural ending  
4. Part-colored  
5. Mythical monsters  
6. Boy  
7. Near  
8. Gives back  
9. Incline  
10. Peel  
11. Affirmative votes  
12. Not these  
13. Own  
14. Cupid  
15. Remunerates  
16. Size of shot  
17. Reciprocal  
18. Split into layers  
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20. Wild animal  
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 HE relief Lisa felt at Elizabeth's invitation, to visit her was a measure of the discomfort she had endured at her father's, but she was too loyal to accept without his consent.  
 "It's a wonderful idea," she admitted. "But I don't know how my father will feel about it."  
 The ghost of a smile flitted across the older woman's face. "I asked Steve this morning. He said it would be all right. Not that he won't miss you," she added, seeing the consternation on Lisa's face. "But everyone knows a woman expecting a baby can be very unreasonable. Your father is really on a spot."  
 "I suspected it," Lisa admitted miserably. "That's why I decided to go back to California—then this letter from my mother made me realize she doesn't want me either."  
 "Of course, she wants you," Elizabeth said sharply. "She doesn't want you to return until you are ready, and she's hurt because you ran away without telling her."  
 "You really love my mother don't you, Aunt Elizabeth?"  
 "Yes, we grew up together. She was maid of honor at my wedding and wore my veil when she married your father."  
 "But it's been nine years since you've seen or written each other."  
 "Friendships like ours are not a matter of years or keeping in touch by letters," Elizabeth declared. "It was because of Martha I asked you to dinner," Elizabeth continued. "But it's because of yourself I have suggested that you stay with me. You see, Lisa, there must be some deep, subconscious urge that made you return to Walnut City. I'm not sure yet just what it is. I doubt if you know yourself."  
 "It was because I wanted to see my father," Lisa insisted, but Mrs. Curtis shook her head.  
 "No, dear, it was more than that. It was the need everyone experiences perhaps to return to one's native soil. And it was urgent enough to pull you away from your friends in California."  
 Lisa said sadly, "I haven't any friends, just acquaintances. It takes longer than nine years to sink roots. We'll talk about this again but now let's drive down for your luggage."  
 "I only have a couple of suitcases. My trunk is coming by express."  
 "We'll ask them to deliver it here," Elizabeth promised.  
 She did not go into the Morton house. She said she had an errand downtown and would stop on her way back. Lisa dreaded the explanation to Diane but she tried to be kind about it. When Diane asked where she was going, Lisa said, "Mrs. Curtis has invited me to stay there."  
 "I suppose you made her think I've mistreated you."  
 "On the contrary she thinks it was a mistake for me to come here when you are expecting a baby."  
 An expression of satisfaction crossed Diane's worried face. "Steve shouldn't have brought you here but I tried to be nice about it. I really did try."  
 "I'm sure you did, Diane. I tried, too. It's been a difficult situation for all of us. Good-bye now. I'll be seeing you and if I can do anything for you let me know."  
 "Thank you," her stepmother said bitterly. "I guess nobody can do anything for me now. I may as well tell you, Lisa, that I was leaving your father, my plans were all made—then I discovered I was going to have this baby. Of all times!"  
 "Thank goodness, Lisa had gone. She would have plenty of news for her husband tonight."  
 "He suspected it, but there's nothing either of us can do now that we're about to become parents."  
 No wonder her father looked so much older with those deep lines on either side of his mouth. It was a heavy responsibility for a man of his age to start his second family. Lisa had not felt as close to him as she had anticipated. Although he was invariably gentle and kind she had seen very little of him. Now that she was going to stay with Elizabeth perhaps Steve would let her help him with the paper.  
 Lisa was watching so that Mrs. Curtis would not have to get out of her car and they drove away together in the late afternoon sunshine. Diane had been watching, too, and she said to herself, "Why is it some people have everything smoothed out for them while others go through life constantly frustrated?" All she wanted was what most girls had some time or another, a husband who adored her with lots of money and friends who told him how lucky he was.  
 She had been a secretary in Chicago when she met Steve. He was good looking and a gentleman. Publisher of the Walnut City Banner, which sounded more impressive than it was. Even then she could have been contented if his friends had accepted her. They were polite and smiled at her when they met on the street or at church, but she had never been included in the inner circle.  
 Stuffy, narrow-minded, prigs. She wasn't the one who was divorced. Yet when she complained about it to Steve he had the nerve to tell her it was her own fault if they didn't accept her. "You try too hard," he insisted.  
 Oh well, there was nothing she could do about it. It was time to meet Steve at the hotel. Thank goodness, Lisa had gone. She would have plenty of news for her husband tonight.  
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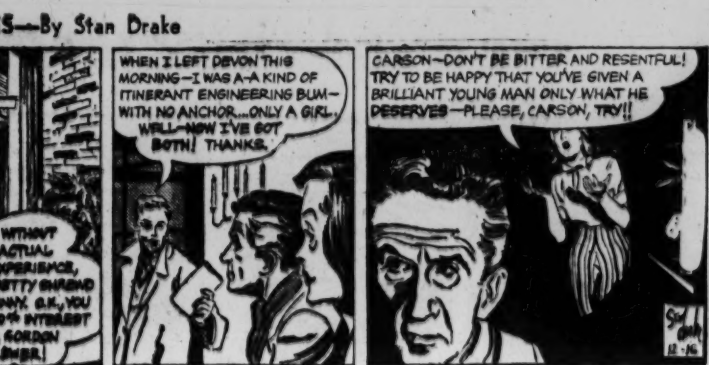
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Uncle Ray's Column

By Ramon Coffman  
 IN A PIONEER test, men proved that electricity could flow from one side of a river to the other. That event took place 208 years ago. An electric current flowed through an iron rod and entered the water at one side of the Thames river. On the other side of the river, the current was "caught" by a wire.  
 In a later test, an electric current was sent across the Thames, and it set fire to brandy which was held in a cup on the other side! One observer used a spyglass to look across the river and watch the brandy take fire. He reported that the fire started in "no time."  
 Those tests were interesting, but they were made by men who knew little about the dangers from electric currents. Thousands of cases are now on record in which water brought injury even death, to people who were handling electric wires, or machines containing electric wires.  
 Q. What dangers are increased by water?  
 A. There are many, many kinds. One terrible event, which has been reported several times, is the death of persons in bathtubs after radios fell into the water. Never place a radio in a position from which it could slip, or be jarred, into a bathtub.  
 Other accidents have taken place when boys or girls were "doing the laundry." While standing in a little water on the floor, and touching a washing machine or electric fixture at the same time, a girl or boy may be shocked, possibly suffering death. If a machine is in the right repair, it may be touched without danger, but a machine may get out of order.  
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